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JEWISH NEW YEAR

OBSERVED AS A HOLY DAY BY THE ORTHODOX JEWS.

COMES NEXT SATURDAY

The Jewish Day is Not a Mere Day of Rejoicing, as is the Secular New Year.

Rosh Hashana, or New Year's day, marking the beginning of the Jewish year 5672, falls this year on Saturday. It is to be observed as a holy day from 6 o'clock tomorrow night to sundown of Saturday. The orthodox Jew observes also the so-called "second day," Sunday this year.

There are only a few members of the Jewish faith in Maryville at the present time, and, owing to this fact, there will be no observance of the day here, but at Adath temple, in St. Joseph, there will be special services at 8 o'clock tomorrow night and at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. Tomorrow night the subject of Rabbi Louis Bernstein will be "Spinning in the Sun." His subject Saturday morning will be "The Test."

The Biblical basis for the observance of the first day of Tishri as a New Year's day and the most solemn day of the Jewish calendar next to Yom Kippur or the Day of Atonement, is found in the reference to a Zikkaron ("Memorial day") in Leviticus 23:24, which reads:

"In the seventh month, in the first day of the month, shall ye have a sabbath, a memorial of blowing of trumpets, a holy convocation."

Ezra also refers to the day as one "holy to the Lord," Nehemiah 8:9.

Not a mere day of rejoicing, like the secular New Year, is this Rosh Hashanah. It is a day of memorial or a day of remembrance, reminding the Jew of the duty of self-examination and self-judgment. To arouse the conscience to this solemn task the ceremony of sounding the Shofar or ram's horn, forms an important feature of the service. Among the orthodox Jews attainment of this object is also sought by setting aside a few days before the New Year's day for the recital, in the synagogue, of penitential prayers called Selihot. This continues until the eve of the Day of Atonement. These Selihot (chanted in the minor key) before dawn in the dimly lit houses of worship, sound the note of grief and contrition for the sins of the past year.

In many places the curious ceremony of Tashlich, originating perhaps with the German Jews not earlier than the fourteenth century, is observed on the afternoon of New Year's day. The worshipers congregate near a running stream when the eighteenth to twentieth verses of the seventh chapter of Micah are intoned, ending with the phrase which no doubt suggested the ceremony, "Thou wilt cast all their sins into the depths of the sea."

After the solemn services on the evening of Friday and the morning of Saturday, the Hebrew greeting is heard on all sides, signifying "A good year" or "Mayest thou be inscribed (in the Book of Life) for a good year." In latter years a custom has appeared of sending to friends New Year's greeting cards of various designs, colors and inscriptions. When the earnest devotions of the day are done, the festival is made an occasion of social and domestic rejoicing.

Still There's Hope.

That marvelous wizard, Thomas A. Edison, is going to tell us how to live to be 200 years old, instead of three score and ten. Cheer up, patient Chillicothean. You may yet see the streets lighted and the city water purified.—Chillicothe Constitution.

We Want to Make Our Store Your Store

To make you feel that HERE you can buy the thing you WANT—buy them BETTER and CHEAPER than elsewhere. To KNOW that we strive always to win your friendly patronage by courteous, honest service. We want to be able always, to give you satisfaction. To do that, we must first know you, your tastes and desires. We are confident of success if you will

PUT US TO THE TEST.

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114½ South Main Street.

WILL BE DELEGATE TO GENERAL CONFERENCE

Rev. C. R. Green and Mrs. Green have returned from Kahoka, Mo., where they attended the North Missouri conference of the Methodist Protestant churches. Rev. Green was re-appointed to the pastorate of the Harmony church, which is highly satisfactory to the church members and their many friends. There is not a more consecrated minister anywhere, nor one who uses better or more effective methods for keeping a church at work and alive, spiritually and physically, than the pastor of Harmony, and we are glad he has been returned.

Quite an honor was bestowed upon Rev. Green during the conference proceedings. He was chosen as the ministerial delegate from the North Missouri conference to the general conference, which meets in Baltimore in May, 1912. This is an honor that seldom comes to so young a minister as Rev. Green. There will be four delegates from Missouri, two ministerial delegates from the North and South conferences and two lay delegates. The general conference is the largest law-making body of the denomination.

MRS. CARSON HARMAN DIED IN DAKOTA

Henry Kelley of South Depot street left Thursday morning for Gill City, S. D., in response to a telegram stating the death on Wednesday night of his sister, Mrs. Carson Harman.

Mrs. Harman was about 66 years of age. She was a native of Ohio, but was reared to womanhood in this county and married here. Her husband, who died last winter in Hot Springs, S. D., of cancer, was a brother of the late Captain M. B. W. Harman of Pickering. They moved to South Dakota a good many years ago, and their four children live in that country. Mrs. Harman leaves another brother, Newton Kelley, living east of Pickering, and a half-brother, George W. Null, of Maryville.

Todays Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—5,000. Market slow. Estimate tomorrow, 2,000.

Hogs—16,000. Market steady; top, $7.15. Estimate tomorrow, 12,000.

Sheep—28,000. Market slow.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—5,000. Market slow.

Hogs—8,000. Market steady; top, $6.80.

Sheep—7,000. Market slow.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,500. Market slow.

Hogs—4,000. Market steady; top, $6.80.

Sheep—1,300. Market slow.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Sept. 20.—Cattle receipts, 6,500. Steers 10@15c lower; butcher cattle unchanged. Do not expect much in market.

Hog receipts, 1,000. Five cents lower than Tuesday's close; top, $7.10; bulk, $6.85@7.05. Further decline logical if heavy receipts continue.

Sheep receipts, 3,000. Market strong; top lambs, $6.00; sheep, $3.75.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

Visited at Pickering.

Mrs. T. J. Buzard of Memphis, Tenn., and her brother-in-law, Edward M. Carpenter, and his two daughters and son of Walter, Okla., who have been visiting Mrs. Buzard's brother, Sanford Jones, and family, at Pickering, returned to Maryville Wednesday and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tarpley. Mrs. Buzard and Mrs. Tarpley are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Wolfert started Wednesday for an automobile trip to Clarinda. They were compelled by the rain to abandon the automobile at Burlington Junction, and made the remainder of their trip by train.

Mrs. M. F. May and daughter, Miss Cleo May, of Burlington Junction, came to Maryville Thursday. Miss Cleo May will undergo a surgical operation at St. Francis hospital for appendicitis.

Mrs. A. T. Clark of the Ream hotel is confined to her bed by rheumatism.

Latest post cards. 1 cent each, at Crane's.

CAN'T USE COLORS

DECORATIONS USED IN ST. JOSEPH ARE OF DIFFERENT COLORS

SPECIAL STARS SECURED

Extra Police for Street Fair Have Been Provided For—Extensive Advertising Being Done.

Mayor Robey and John A. Wallace returned Thursday noon from St. Joseph, where they went on business in connection with the coming street fair in Maryville. The object of their visit was to get the decorations that will be used next week in that city for the stock and horse show, but as their colors are purple and yellow they will not be used in Maryville unless the street fair committee decides to change the colors from red and white to purple and yellow.

While Mr. Wallace was in St. Joseph he had twelve policemen's stars made and they will be used during fair week. The stars are numbered from 3 on up. Mr. Wallace is intending to have from fifteen to twenty men during that week on the police force.

Stickers advertising the street fair are being used by the merchants of the city on their letters and other matter sent out over the county. The papers are using them on all papers sent exchanges in the northwest part of the state. So far the street fair has been well advertised.

A party composed of M. A. Turner, F. R. Marcell, Albert Kuchs and Carl Murray took in the county fair at Clarinda Wednesday and advertised the street fair in that community.

The St. Joseph people are anxious that the Maryville Automobile club take part in the automobile parade to be given next week. The cars would have to be decorated before they could participate. Prizes of over $1,200 are to be given, and St. Joseph would like to see Maryville well represented in the parade.

STREET RAILWAY OFFICIALS FROM EAST

The big Burlington special train, No. 686, consisting of twelve coaches, bearing street railway officials from all over the east, who had been attending the convention in St. Joseph, passed through Maryville Wednesday forenoon at 11:40 o'clock over the Burlington road, en route to Chicago, in charge of Special Conductor A. P. Haley.

The distinguished travelers were escorted to Creston by Division Passenger Agent J. D. Baker of St. Joseph.

Called by Father's Death.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibbs and their little boys left Thursday morning for their home in Sedalia, Mo., after a several days' stay here with their mother, Mrs. E. S. Gibbs of East Seventh street. They were called here by the fatal illness of Mr. Gibbs' father, Elbert S. Gibbs, whose death occurred last Sunday night. The youngest son, Oakley Gibbs of Omaha, also returned home Thursday morning. He is employed by a grain company. Another son, Everett Gibbs of Calgary, province of Alberta, Canada, will remain with her a few weeks to assist her in business matters. Mrs. Gibbs will go to Sedalia and live with her son this coming winter.

On Visit to Sister.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gahring of Maringo, Ia., were in Maryville Thursday morning between trains, going to Arkoe to visit Mrs. Gahring's sister, Mrs. Walter Coulter, and her husband.

Left for Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Mosteller of Philadelphia, Pa., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hutchison, left for their home Wednesday. Mr. Hutchison is their cousin.

DR. FINN

Treats eyes with glasses only. He can give you 5,000 references in Maryville and Nodaway county. Ask your neighbors about Finn's glasses that make weak eyes strong.

W. B. FINN.

PLUGGED WITH SOAP

HOLES DRILLED IN JAIL WALLS CLEVERLY CONCEALED.

ATTEMPT TO BREAK JAIL

Discovered Evidences While Showing Visitors Through—Lots of Calls for Soap.

Sheriff Tilson this morning frustrated an attempt at jail breaking that came very nearly being successful. Wednesday afternoon while showing some visitors through the jail he noticed some suspicious actions among the prisoners and became convinced that something was wrong. He, however, could find no evidence beyond a few fresh bits of powdered stone, but he could not see where the dust came from.

He felt uneasy, and this morning he went into the jail for another look, and on the north side of the jail he discovered six holes drilled into the rock and carefully plugged up with soap and smoothed over with the dust from the stone. The only thing that remained to make the job complete was the completion of some wedges or plugs they were making to drive into the holes and split the rocks.

Two of these wedges were ready and four more were necessary. This work was slow because they had no knife with which to work, and they were being worn down to the right size by rubbing them on the stone wall. Chair rounds were being used to make the wedges. The boring into the wall was done with a small piece of iron that resembles a piece of a stove hook. This was carefully hid in a crack in the wall back out of sight and had a string to it by which the prisoners could locate it when it was wanted.

The thing that first attracted the attention of the sheriff was the frequent calls for soap since Monday, and there was no evidence that there was any amount of washing being done, either.

The prisoners in the jail at the present time are George Bragg, brought here from Wyoming about two weeks ago, charged with stealing a hog from William Mozingo last winter; Jim and Wood Golding, charged with robbing a box car at Ravenwood; Pegg Conklin, serving a year's sentence in jail, with about five months yet to serve; Floyd Jackson, arrested at Burlington Junction, and Bunk Edmonston, serving a term for abuse and neglect of his family.

Bragg admitted to the sheriff that he did the work, and declared that no one else had any hand in it. This was after the sheriff had found the two finished pegs in Bragg's bed and had threatened to lock him in a dark cell until he should tell the truth.

A similar attempt was made during ex-Sheriff Evans' administration, and a number of small holes were drilled into the wall. It is thought that Bragg and his fellows in this effort had planned to make their dash for liberty Friday, while the crowds were in to attend the show.

WILL RETURN TO MISSOURI SOON

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Crabb, who have been making their home in Houston, Texas, the past three years, have decided to return to Missouri. Mr. Crabb has purchased a merchandise business at Darlington and will locate there soon. Mr. Crabb and his wife have been spending the past three months in and near Maryville, their former home. They went to Pickering Wednesday to visit Mrs. Crabb's brother, Clinton MrDowell, and family. They expect to leave Saturday morning for Texas to sell out their interests there and return as soon as they are disposed of.

Traded for Maryville Property.

Perry Godman of Bethany this week traded his residence property at 408 West Third street, this city, to George Oliphant of Bethany for an interest in a drug store owned by Mr. Oliphant. The deal was made through the agency of Bickett & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Anderson of Red Oak, Ia., are moving Thursday into the Bent property on North Buchanan street. Mr. Anderson is the new manager of the True clothing store, formerly the Shepard clothing store.

Latest stationery for correspondence at Crane's.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Miss Jones Sang at Reception.

Miss Marie Jones of the Conservatory faculty, who left Monday for Chicago, where she will join the Jane Wrate Concert company for a concert tour of eight months in the north and on the Pacific coast company, sang at a reception in Chicago Tuesday night, given at Grace Methodist Episcopal church, on LaSalle avenue. The reception was given by the Sunday school class of which she was a member while she was the soloist for that church during her vocal studies last year under Mr. Chris Anderson. Last Sunday a farewell gathering of Miss Jones' family was held in her honor at the home of her brother, Oliver E. Jones, who lives six miles northeast of Maryville. The reunion also celebrated the tenth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jones. All of the members of the family gathered at the Jones home as a surprise to them. All carried well filled baskets, and the day was pleasantly spent in conversation and music. The Jones quartet, composed of Messrs. Oliver, Raymond, and Alfred Jones and their sister, Miss Marie Jones, sang several numbers, and there was a duet by Mildred and Wendell Jones. The company included Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Jones and daughter, Marie; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jones and children, Leroy and Loretta, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Jones and son, Verne; Mr. and Mrs. George Greeson and children, George A., Court, Jack, Elizabeth and Kenneth; Mrs. A. M. Culbertson, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Jones and children, Mildred, Wendell and Velma.

Miss Jones will sing in Grace M. E. church of Chicago the coming Sunday. She will start on her concert tour September 30.

For Miss Pierce and Guest.

Mrs. Ferdinand M. Townsend gave a charming afternoon euchre party, as a compliment to Miss Dorothy Pierce and her guest, Miss Geraldine Coffee of Steelville, who has made a summer's visit at the Pierce home. Miss Pierce leaves before many days for her studies at Chicago university and Miss Coffee leaves for her home Friday night. The Townsend home was lovely in lavish decorations of pink gladiolas. The game prize was won by Miss Rena Sturm and Miss Coffee received the guest prize. The guest list included Miss Pierce, Miss Coffee, Miss Laura Barmann, Miss Helen Ford, Miss Kittie Grems, Miss Della Grems, Miss Eva Rittenour, Miss Donna Sisson, Miss Clara Sturm, Miss Rena Sturm, Miss Brownie Toel, Miss Esther Shoemaker, Miss Neva Reaksecker, Miss Emma Lee Taylor, Miss Lora Stockton, Miss Susie Ellison and her sister, Mrs. Estil D. Holland of Hot Springs, Ark.; Mrs. Lafe Allender, Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., Miss Mabel Allen, Mrs. Ralph Eversole, Miss Nelle Conrad, Miss Elise Jackson, Miss Maud Bainum, Miss Jeanette Tate, Miss Julia Tate and Miss Alma Nash.

To Be Guests in Kansas City.

Mrs. J. C. Black and little daughter of De Queen, Ark., who have been visiting in Maryville the past six weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Walk, went to Kansas City Thursday morning to spend a week with an old schoolmate, Mrs. Zoe Updegraff Clark, formerly of Maryville. Mrs. Black's husband, Dr. J. Clarence Black, expects to meet them in Kansas City and accompany them to De Queen. Mrs. Black and her little daughter have been honor guests at several dinners and other social gatherings during their visit, given by old schoolmates.

Will Celebrate Birthday.

C. W. Spillman, the genial clerk at the Ream hotel, has invited a few friends to join him in celebrating his seventy-fourth birthday anniversary at the hotel the evening of September 26. Mr. Spillman has been in the hotel business for many years, and for the past two years has been a resident of Maryville. His friends will all join in wishing him good health, good luck and many pleasant return of this anniversary.

Suits Filed.

Harry Dalley vs. Sarah Martin et al., to perfect title.

Mrs. Walter Ferree went to Lenox, Ia., Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Harry Cochran.

Mrs. M. A. Joy of Elmo arrived Wednesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Hopper.

AN ENGINEER SOON

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS HAS SEVERAL PROPOSITIONS.

MAY HIRE TWO FIRMS

Two More Engineers Look Over the Situation and Somebody Will Get a Contract This Week.

The indications are that the board of public works will employ an engineer to examine the old water plant and estimate its value within the next day or two. For the past two days they have been in almost constant session with different engineers who are applicants for the job and have accumulated a lot of valuable information for themselves in their several talks.

Wednesday they had a meeting with E. M. Stevens, with whom the council was negotiating. He represents the McLaughlin Engineering company of Kansas City. They also had with them last night R. E. McDonald of the firm of Burns & McDonald, also of Kansas City. Propositions have been received from all the applicants, and it is only a question of a very short time until the board will let out the job.

It is very probable that two different firms will be employed. The board is determined to do their work well, and they feel that estimates from two different firms will guarantee a complete and thorough examination and report.

Since the election in Maryville authorizing the issuing of bonds for a water plant an agitation has been started for a water works system at Hopkins. The Journal is giving space to the proposition in every issue, and it is very probable that an election will be held in Hopkins for that purpose next spring.

MEMBER OF FACULTY AT CAMDEN POINT

Miss Edna Van Briggle, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Van Briggle of this city, who went to Camden Point, Mo., a week ago to attend the Christian College for Young Women, has been made a member of the faculty. A number of the students wished to take short hand and typewriting, and as Miss Van Briggle was well experienced in its use, she was appointed to take charge of that department, that was at once provided for the benefit of the students. Miss Van Briggle studied the course at the Maryville Business college and was also employed in Charles E. Stillwell's law office for about two years, and is well qualified to teach.

The ball game between the north side and south side boys which was scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, was prevented by the rain. The boys have decided to try it again Saturday afternoon, and no admission will be charged.

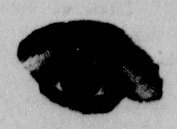
C. D. Bellows returned Thursday noon from a short business visit at Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pierce spent Thursday in St. Joseph.

The Weather

Fair tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature.

Not ANY Glasses



Don't forget that there ARE Glasses that will do your eyes more harm than good.

The lenses for YOU must be ground to your measure, just the same as a druggist puts up a prescription.

Glasses chosen in any other way are a positive danger.

This point cannot be given too much emphasis.

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We will choose them for you, and do it in such a way that mistakes are impossible. At

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A WRONG TO LABOR.

One of the needed reforms that should receive the early attention of congress is in connection with foreign immigration. There should be some way to restrict immigration to legitimate immigration. While the inspectors at Ellis island are busy trying to determine whether some technical blemish shall bar a would-be good citizen from our shore, the agents of the great steamship companies are scouring every European country trying to induce the poor, ignorant workmen from every clime to come and compete with American labor.

In order to haul them over here the grossest misrepresentations are practiced with reference to conditions here. Men are made to believe that a fortune awaits them in America without half an effort, and thousands of half starved and unskilled men are brought over every year and plunged into the vortex of suffering in the great cities.

There should be a way to stop this dishonest practice. It is said that there are now 2,500,000 men in this country idle. That is a larger number than ever before, except during the panic of 1907, and it is likely to be increased during the coming winter. With this over-supplied labor market a continuous stream of disappointed foreign workers are unloaded upon our shores to result only in lowering wages and aggravating want.

This is an injustice both to the American workman and to the foreigner who is deceived into leaving his native country with false hopes. Action should be taken that will put a stop to the practice.

Judge Peter Grosscup has resigned from the federal court of appeals. He was an able, vigorous man of great individuality, but the country as a whole will not be plunged into unconsolable grief over his retirement. His dynamic originality caused him to be regarded to some extent as a judicial freak, and many of his most important decisions were at variance with public opinion. He says that a judge of the federal appellate court is merely a weed puller in the judicial garden. In the matter of discriminating between the weeds and the flowers there is ofttimes a variance between the views expressed by the federal courts and those popularly held that occasions criticism.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McMacken and Mrs. McMacken's mother, Mrs. W. H. Davis, of Burlington Junction, spent Thursday in Maryville.

Mrs. F. M. Scott and children are in Kansas City visiting relatives. They will visit at Independence before they return.

Miss Alice Logan went to Parnell Thursday to visit her mother, Mrs. George Logan, for a few days.

Mrs. L. H. Lash of Rosendale arrived Thursday noon to visit her cousin, Mrs. J. L. Neal of East First street.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spangler of Burlington Junction were in the city Thursday.

Miss Frances Berg of Clyde was shopping in the city Thursday.

THE FAMOUS BROILERS, WITH "TWO MERRY TRAMPS," EMPIRE THEATER, FRIDAY, SEPT. 22, WILD WEST NIGHT.

THINGS THEY LEARN

EDUCATION OF BOY SCOUTS IS NAT LEAST PART OF TRAINING.

EDUCATION IS PRACTICAL

The Value Apparent When Number of Persons Annually Poisoned is Considered.

The Boy Scouts of America are being taught to be both cautious and helpful to others by learning about weeds and mushrooms. They are instructed how to distinguish between the poisonous and non-poisonous weeds, to know the difference between mushrooms that are edible and those which are poisonous, and to destroy toadstools. The value of this educational work which is carried on by scout masters who have charge of the boys is apparent when it is considered how many persons every year are killed simply through their lack of knowledge of poisonous mushrooms and weeds. It is apparent also how great a help the hundreds of thousands of Boy Scouts who acquire this knowledge can be to the country at large.

The manual with which the Boy Scouts are provided gives them detailed information about mushrooms. It explains the more common edible varieties and teaches them how to tell whether a mushroom is safe to eat. It also explains much to them about ordinary weeds along the roadside. These things are practical not only for the boys who spend a great deal of time in the woods, but also for grown-ups who are fond of walking in the country and who often, through lack of knowledge, are made violently ill.

At the scout masters' and patrol leaders' training school at Camp Recreation, Big Darby, O., one of the important things that was taught to the men and the boys was this study of mushrooms and weeds. Malcolm P. Junkin, scout master and student in the State college in Pennsylvania, who was director of a camp and an instructor in woodcraft and camping, laid special stress on this kind of work and pointed out to the scout masters the necessity of seeing that the Boy Scouts acquired this practical information.

The leaders of the Scout movement say the Boy Scouts, numbering several hundred thousand, can be of great help by making a study of weeds and mushrooms.

Mrs. Bert Hiatt and daughter, Gertrude, of Pickering, returned home Thursday from a stay in Maryville since Monday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Weisenberger. Mrs. Hiatt came on account of the illness of her sister, Miss Annie Weisenberger, who underwent a surgical operation at St. Francis hospital for appendicitis Monday. She is getting along nicely.

F. L. Cason of Clearmont, who has been visiting his niece, Mrs. L. L. Meier of this city, left Thursday morning for Garden City, Mo.

Miss Josephine Kimmett went to Cylde Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. J. A. Linneman.

Mrs. W. Mackey of Conception was in Maryville on business Wednesday.

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dutton entertained at dinner Wednesday their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna, and Mrs. Hanna's guest, Mrs. Dr. J. D. Holland of Riverside, Cal., and Miss Hildred Hanna.

For California Guest.

Mrs. O. C. Hanna is entertaining informally Thursday afternoon a few former friends and schoolmates of her guest, Mrs. Dr. J. D. Holland of Riverside, Cal., formerly Miss Emma Parker of this city.

ANNIVERSARY OF BIG STORM PAST

Some have called attention to the fact that September 18 was the sixth anniversary of the date when Ringling Bros.' circuit tent was destroyed in Maryville, causing the death of two people and injuring several others.

Following this unfortunate occurrence damage suits were brought against the circus people amounting to $100,000, but the plaintiffs failed to realize on them, and the last of these was stricken from the docket some time ago.

It may also be noted that this was the last big circus that has appeared in Maryville. As all the better towns favorably located like Maryville are usually visited by some of the big circuses every year or two, it is surmised that this continued absence can only be accounted for on the ground that the circus trust, which includes all the larger shows, has boycotted Maryville because of the troubles of the Ringlings here. This does not seriously disturb our adult citizens, as they can journey to St. Joseph, Kansas City and Omaha "on business," but it hits the small boy pretty hard.

As long, however, as Buffalo Bill holds out the famine will be relieved occasionally, and many good dollars will be saved for the local entertainments.

Moving to Burlington Junction.

Mrs. Luke Brown of Burlington Junction was in the city Thursday on her way to Hopkins to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Herbert. She will return to the Junction Monday, accompanied by her little daughters, who have been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert while Mr. and Mrs. Brown were getting settled in their new home in Burlington Junction. Mr. Brown recently purchased the Rees hardware store at that place. Their former home was at Meadville, Mo., near where they lived on a farm.

James C. Pistole of Hopkins went to Rosendale Thursday to attend the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. George W. Pistole, who died in Kansas City Monday night.

Mrs. G. Rozelle and her daughter, Mrs. Cleve Moyer, and little daughter of Maitland are in the city for a few days' visit with Mrs. Rozelle's mother, Mrs. George Long.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Olson of Red Oak, Ia., who have been visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Luppold, left for their home Wednesday in their touring car.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Van Cleve of Moberly, Mo., are visiting their son, W. C. Van Cleve, and family.

S. T. Simpson of Columbia was in Maryville on business Thursday.

Calling on Literary Folk.

L. F. Palmer of Kansas City is in Maryville calling on our literary people with "The Real America in Romance."

Fine watch and jewelry repairing at Crane's.

Had Visited at Quitman.

Edward Kerns and son, Ray, of St. Joseph, who have been visiting the family of his sister, Mrs. Joseph Kempf, living two miles west of Quitman, were in Maryville Wednesday on their way home. They were accompanied by Mr. Kerns' niece and nephew, Miss Sadie Kempf and Lawrence Kempf, who went to St. Joseph for a visit.

SEPTEMBER 21, 1911.

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Conan Doyle at His Best.

The story reading world seems to be unanimous in the verdict that Sir Arthur Conan Doyle is at his best in his Sherlock Holmes stories. The Chicago Record-Herald is now in the act of breaking another record by printing in its columns all the Sherlock Holmes stories ever written, both short and long. Some it has published in the past, but many of the best are still to come. It is the only paper in Chicago now running Sherlock Holmes stories.

The Record-Herald has only recently begun on the "Memoirs of Sherlock Holmes," a series of thirteen of these famous detective tales. The stories, which have been appearing only on Sundays, are now to run right along through every day of the week until completed. This series is to be followed by two long Sherlock Holmes serials—"A Study in Scarlet" and "The Sign of the Four." Many persons are taking advantage of this chance to read the world's best detective stories.

Sherlock Holmes has the honor of being the most widely known character in fiction. The fascination of his adventures and of his marvelous detective powers is felt by all classes of readers. You can always find some of the best popular fiction of the day in The Record-Herald, but this Conan Doyle series is something out of the ordinary, even for that enterprising paper.

Major John B. O'Meara of St. Louis, formerly lieutenant governor of Missouri, is a candidate for state treasurer.

WILD WEST, OR? EMPIRE TREATER, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22.

Belles of the East Side.

Those Famous Funny Fellows, Wood and Ward, with a Gorgeous Gowned Group of Gibson Girls, presenting that hop, step and jump musical tom-foolery, "Two Merry Tramps," a singy song farce with music, mirth and melody. Three hundred and sixty-five days ahead of them all when it comes to novelties. Remember it's on wild west night, September 22. Prices, 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

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First Week in October

Announcement

Having purchased the West Side Hardware, I wish to announce to the people of Nodaway county that I am here to conduct the kind of business that will merit your patronage and cause you to give me your hearty recommendation to your neighbors.

I Will Carry the Best Hardware

It is possible to buy and will sell it at a price that cannot be beaten any place. I have been engaged in the hardware business for years and know the business from one end to the other---know how to buy and how to sell.

Come in and get acquainted. I have retained Mr. Hill and Mr. Rigney in my employ and they will be glad to serve you.

H. C. Bower
West Side Hardware Man

SPANISH REVOLT IS PUT DOWN

Prompt Action by Government Completely Confounds Rebels.

STRIKE IS POSTPONED ONE DAY

No Serious Disorders in Provinces So Far as Strict Censorship Allows the Conditions to Be Known—Prisons Crowded With Suspects.

Madrid, Sept. 21.—The strikes in many parts of Spain continue, but the revolution seems to be completely confounded by the prompt and energetic action of the government. The postponement of the general strike for one day is regarded as indicating that the backbone of the movement is broken.

The government, while appearing to take the most drastic measures, does not lose sight of the democratic ideals which have inspired its program. Premier Canalejas declared that martial law notwithstanding, the government, would respect the right to strike if legally followed, but he gave fair warning that if the employees of the public services strike without giving the previous notification, as required by law, the promptest measures would be taken to end the strike.

So far as a censorship of great severity allows conditions to be known, there were no serious disorders in the provinces. Most of the principal agitators either were laid by the heels or their actions were crippled effectively. Telegraphic and telephonic communications have been cut off from all suspected persons, including the Republican and Socialist leaders.

Houses have been searched and arms seized and the prisons are crowded with rioters and political suspects.

King Alfonso has announced his intention of remaining in Madrid until the crisis is over.

PRAYED TOO LOUD

Church Service Broken Up by Repentance of a Sinner.

Logansport, Ind., Sept. 21.—To what pitch and at what length may a repentant sinner lift his voice at a church service without disturbing the peace is a question to be decided by Justice of the Peace Hanawalt.

In an affidavit Deacon Harvey Helvie of the Zion Evangelical church recites that he exhorted John Clouse last Sunday "to lift his voice in repentance, and Clouse obeyed so earnestly and persistently that neither the pastor nor the choir could make themselves heard, and the service was abandoned.

Pastor, choir and leading members of the church are summoned as witnesses in the case, and some of them will defend Clouse as having been within his rights.

PLEADS FOR PARCELS POST

Superintendent of Rural Mail Service Says Change Would Wipe Out Deficit.

Milwaukee, Sept. 21.—Parcels post in connection with rural delivery was advocated by George S. Thompson, superintendent of the rural mail service, who addressed the delegates attending the National Rural Letter Carriers' convention.

Mr. Thompson said that while the rural service was now conducted at a loss, that were parcels post added in that department a big gain would soon be shown. Mr. Thompson's remarks were greeted enthusiastically.

Congressman William J. Cary of the Fourth Wisconsin district reviewed his bill introduced in congress, which provides for an increase in salaries of 25 per cent of all government employees receiving below $2,000 a year.

Eight Caught by Etna Lava.

Catania, Sicily, Sept. 21.—The eruption of Mount Etna, which seemed to be calming down, resumed its former activity. It is feared that eight peasants have been cut off by the lava. Shots from their guns, evidently to attract attention, were heard, but no aid could be given, as nobody was even able to approach the spot because of the floods of lava.

Old-Time Pupils Greet Clark.

Lawrenceburg, Ky., Sept. 21.—Champ Clark, speaker of the national house of representatives, came home to make a speech in behalf of the state Democratic ticket. An escort of 100 men, who were pupils of Mr. Clark when he taught school in Anderson county nearly forty years ago, were at the depot to welcome him.

Blanco Gets His Orders.

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 21.—General Jose de la Luz Blanco, commander of rurales in northern Chihuahua, has been officially ordered to take his forces to Morales and give fight to Zapata. General Blanco has been with Madero in his campaign in Yucatan and will return at once to Casas Grandes and get his army.

McManigal Breaks With Wife.

Los Angeles, Sept. 21.—With the trial of John J. and James McNamara, accused of murder by dynamiting, two weeks away, Ortie McManigal, chief witness for the state, announced that he had broken with his wife, Mrs. Emma McManigal, who is claimed by the defense as a strong witness.

AUTO THAT KILLED TWELVE

Oldfield's Racing Car; It Ran Into Crowd at New York State Fair.

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STREET CAR STRIKE IN DETROIT SETTLED

Men Receive Raise in Pay and Return to Work.

Detroit, Sept. 21.—The strike of the Detroit United Railway employees was settled by arbitration. The employees accepted a new wage rate schedule of 23 cents an hour for the first six months, 27½ cents for the next year and 29½ cents thereafter. The rate was within half a cent of that originally demanded.

It was also agreed that the men would be placed at the disposal of the company thirteen hours a day, instead of eleven and a half hours. This arrangement is to be effective for the next 120 days and will be continued thereafter if agreeable to all concerned.

Before the agreement could be formally completed it was necessary to appoint a third arbitrator, Circuit Judge William M. Connolly being chosen. Less than fifteen minutes after the agreement was signed conductors and motormen were hustling to the barns to start the cars on the early morning schedule.

Not a cent's worth of damage by strikers has been reported and not a street car employee was arrested.

TO HALT TOWNWARD DRIFT

Rural Life Conference to Be Held at Kirksville, Mo.

Kirksville, Mo., Sept. 21.—Initiating an organized effort to stop the townward drift in the state, the first Missouri rural life conference will be held here Sept. 28 to Oct. 1, under the auspices of the state normal school.

Among the speakers will be H. J. Waters, dean of the Kansas state agricultural college; Professor C. Bishop of the Iowa state agricultural college, E. T. Fairchild, state superintendent of public instruction of Kansas, and Dr. W. P. Cutler, Missouri state food and drug commissioner.

An exhibit will be made of labor saving devices, models, charts, and photographs of scenes, to show the brighter side of rural life so often believed to be one long course of drudgery.

$5,232,539 DEFICIT

Annual Report of Missouri Pacific Railway.

New York, Sept. 21.—The annual report of the Missouri Pacific railway for the year ending June 30, 1911, shows a deficit of $5,232,539.

Cereal Company Fails to Pay Up.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—A long drawn out fight in the courts probably will follow the action of the Great Western Cereal company in failing to pay the semi-annual interest, due Sept. 1, on its first mortgage 6 per cent bonds of which there are $684,500 outstanding. The company has advised the Chicago bank, which is trustee for the bond issue, that its mills are closed and that it has no funds to pay the bond interest, amounting to $20,535.

Taft Concludes Michigan Visit.

Marquette, Mich., Sept. 21.—With the conclusion of his visit to Marquette, President Taft turned southward to the lower peninsula of Michigan and to Illinois and the states beyond the Mississippi river, where next week he will invade the west.

Wife of Justice Day Ill.

Canton, O., Sept. 21.—Mrs. William R. Day, wife of Justice Day of the United States supreme court, is dangerously ill at the family home here. Justice Day, it is said, will not attend the opening of the supreme court in October.

Case of Plague at Stockton.

Stockton, Cal., Sept. 21.—Angelo Bianchi, a laborer, was taken to the isolation hospital here, suffering from the bubonic plague. He is thought to have been bitten by a fly which had become inoculated from a squirrel.

Iowan Lost in Wood; May Be Dead.

Tacoma, Wash., Sept. 21.—John Crimp of Mason City, Ia., is lost in the woods. He has been lost for several days and little hope is entetained of finding him alive. He was out hunting.

MRS. KIMMEL NOT CERTAIN

Aged Woman Unable to Say Whether He is Long Lost Son.

NOT BENEFICIARY OF POLICY.

Neighbor Who Calls at Burnham Home to Spend Afternoon Makes Fearful Discovery and Gives Alarm. Husband of Dead Woman Arrested.

Niles, Mich., Sept. 21.—Niles' strange controversy over the identity of "George A. Kimmel," who represents himself to be a son long supposed to be dead, was further complicated.

While dozens of people positively identified him as the son for whose supposed death thirteen years ago Mrs. Estella Kimmel received $5,000 in life insurance, others were as positive that he was not the son.

Then Mrs. Kimmel, seventy years old, who had asserted that the man was impersonating her son merely to deprive her of the money she already has received and to prevent the payment of $25,000 more in insurance to other relatives, scrutinized the man who claims her as mother.

Face to face with the woman, the "Kimmel" just released from a five-year term in the Auburn (N. Y.) penitentiary, stretched out his arms and said, pleadingly: "Mother, don't you know your boy; don't disown me any longer. You know I am your son."

Mrs. Kimmel, withdrawing from the man as he attempted to embrace her, stood sternly scanning his face.

"No," she said, "I don't see in you any positive resemblance to my son."

The meeting took place at the home of Mrs. Harry L. Fox, who already had accepted "Kimmel" as a cousin and positively identified him as the son of Mrs. Kimmel. It was made known that Mrs. Kimmel has no direct interest in any money which the insurance companies refuse to pay on the ground that the son is still living, but that a $20,000 policy is held by a daughter, Mrs. Edna Kimmel Bonslett, and another $5,000 policy is held by a distant relative.

THREE SHOT DEAD FOR GIRL

Refusal to Permit Friend to Escort Her From Dance Results in Gun Play.

Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 21.—Because Miss Elsie Ellis refused to accompany Obie Butler, aged thirty, home from a dance at Rafter, Tenn., three men are dead. When she refused to go with Butler, Miss Ellis requested Olney Phillips, aged seventeen, to accompany her. When Butler saw them leave the dance he followed and shot Phillips dead. John Heading, aged twenty-five, then rushed up to Butler and asked why he had shot Phillips. In reply Butler shot Heading five times, killing him instantly. The third death came when an unknown person shot Butler from behind, the ball piercing his brain.

WARSHIP STRIKES OLYMPIC

All on Board Steamship Escape Without Injury.

Cowes, Sept. 21.—The White Star liner Olympic, the biggest passenger carrying vessel in service, was in a collision with the British protected cruiser Hawke, near Osborne bay, on the north side of the Isle of Wight, and was so badly damaged that her captain, E. J. Smith, beached her on a mud bank in the Cowes roadstead. Later she was released and started back for Southampton, where she was docked.

Kansas Democrats Nominate Taggart.

Paola, Kan., Sept. 21.—Joseph Taggart of Kansas City, Kan., was nominated for congress by acclamation by the Democrats of the Second district convention.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—Closing prices: Wheat—Sept., 92⅛c; Dec., 97⅞c.
Corn—Sept., 67⅞c; Dec., 64c.
Oats—Sept., 43⅛c; Dec., 45¼c.
Pork—Jan., $15.10.
Lard—Sept., $9.25; Jan., $8.87½.
Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, winter, 95½@98c; No. 2 corn, 67¾@68c; No. 2 white oats, 45@45½c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 20,000; steady to 10c off; beeves, $4.90@5.15; western steers, $4.25@7.00; stockers and feeders, $3.15@5.80; cows and heifers, $2.25@6.30; calves, $6.00@9.50. Hogs—Receipts, 22,000; shade lower; light, $6.70@7.20; mixed, $6.55@7.20; heavy, $6.50@7.10; rough, $6.50@6.75; pigs, $4.25@6.75; bulk, $6.75@7.05. Sheep—Receipts, 40,000; steady to 10c lower; natives, $2.25@4.30; westerns, $2.50@4.25; yearlings, $3.70@4.65; lambs, $4.00@6.25.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Sept. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,300; 10c higher; beef steers, $5.25@7.25; cows and heifers, $3.00@4.35; stockers and feeders, $3.50@4.50; calves, $5.25@7.25. Hogs—Receipts, 6,300; 5@10c lower; larger droves were put up at $6.60@6.65; best light class on sale dropped to $6.80. Sheep—Receipts, 26,000, steady; wethers, $3.85@4.00; ewes, $2.65@3.50; lambs, $5.00@5.50.

MARYVILLE ONE DAY ONLY, FRIDAY, SEPT. 22
GROUNDS EAST OF BURLINGTON DEPOT

THE ORIENT AND OCCIDENT GO HAND IN HAND

PERILS OF THE PLAINS IN FRONTIER DAYS RE-ENACTED

ORIENTAL SPLENDORS AND SAHARA'S SANDS RECALLED

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Master Horsemen Mounted on Matchless Steeds. Military Manoeuvres by Artillery and Cavalry. Marvelous Feats of Marksmanship by Expert Men. Bedouin Athletes in Feats of Agility and Daring. Cowboy Sports with Ill-tempered Bucking Broncbos. Rough Riders in Astonishing Achievements. Brilliant Military Evolutions, Pomp and Ceremony. Wild West Girls and Cowboys in Equestrian Feats. A Continuous Succession of Startling Surprises. Exhibitions of Skill, Nerve and Manly Daring.

THE ROUGH RIDERS OF THE WORLD
Embrace Fearless Horsemen and Skilled Equestrians from all Quarters of the Globe
TWICE DAILY, 2 and 8 P. M.—RAIN OR SHINE. Admission (Including Seat), 50c.
Children under 9 Years, Half Price. All Seats Protected from Sun and Rain by Immense Canvas Canopy. Grand Stand Chairs (including admission), $1.00. On Sale day of Exhibition at
KOCH'S DRUG STORE, NORTH SIDE OF SQUARE

NOTE—Do not fail to read the latest and most exciting book ever written, "Thrilling Lives of Buffalo Bill and Pawnee Bill," by Frank Winch. Price $1.00, on sale at the show grounds or may be ordered at all book stores.

Stant S. Garten of Pickering was in Maryville Wednesday evening, visiting his brothers, Shell and Art Garten and E. H. and G. P. Bainum.

Special Fern Sale

Sept, 23d one day only our regular $1.50 to $2.00 ferns at only $1.00 each while they last. Have you one of Engelmann's beautiful ferns in your home?

ENGELMANN GREENHOUSES,
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CARD OF THANKS—We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness during the long illness of our beloved husband and father, Elbert S. Gibbs. And we wish to especially thank his comrades of the G. A. R. and the I. O. O. F. lodge brethren. Your services were beyond measure, and we pray God to bless you all. Mrs. E. S. Gibbs and Family.

Peculiar.

"Odd thing about flattery."

"What?"

"It makes everybody sick except those who swallow it."—Pittsburg Post.

The Glorious Future.

"Thank heaven my children will soon be old enough to take care of themselves."

"Do you expect to give up working when they are able to do that?"

"No, but I am looking forward to the time when I can use some of my earnings to have my trousers pressed and get my hair cut at least once every three months."

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Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
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ALMOST A MIRACLE

My hair was as white as snow when I commenced using Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy. One bottle restored my hair to its natural dark brown color. As I am now 70 years old, I consider the result most remarkable. It is an agreeable and refreshing hair dressing, keeping the hair soft and glossy, without being in the least greasy or sticky.

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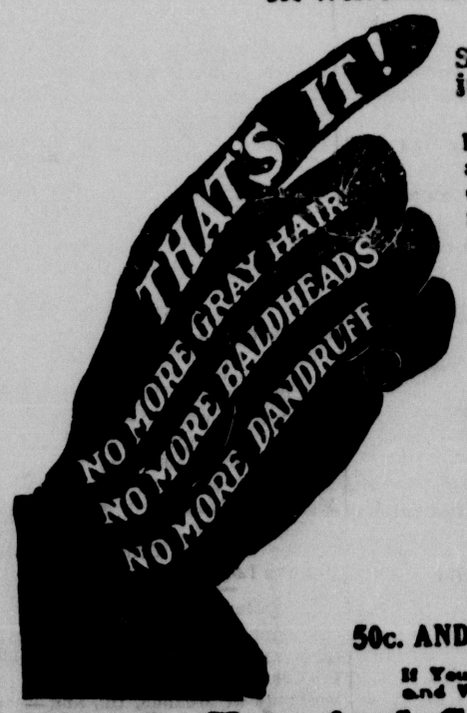

Why hesitate when WYETH'S SAGE AND SULPHUR HAIR REMEDY is daily producing just such results?

After years of study and analysis of the hair, we have been able to produce an ideal Hair Tonic and Restorer, which contains an actual constituent of hair, combined with ingredients of recognized merit for treatment of hair and scalp diseases. It makes and keeps the scalp clean and healthy, gives life, strength and lustre to the hair, and

Restores Gray Hair to Natural Color

No matter how long and thick your hair is, WYETH'S SAGE AND SULPHUR HAIR REMEDY will make it longer and thicker. It will remove every trace of dandruff in a few days, stop falling in one week, and start a new growth in from one to three months.

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If Your Druggist Does Not Keep It Send 50c. in Stamps and We Will Send You a Large Bottle, Express Prepaid

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FREE A 25c Cake of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Toilet Soap Free to anyone who will send us this advertisement with 10c in stamps to cover cost of wrapping and mailing the soap.

Northwest Normal Lyceum Lecture Course

The Normal offers to the people of Maryville and vicinity an excellent course of lectures, musicales and entertainments at the lowest possible price. Transferable season tickets to the entire course of five entertainments will be sold for one dollar. Students' season tickets, not transferable, will be sold to Normal, Public School and Business College and Conservatory of Music students for 75 cents. These student tickets will be on sale at the various schools. Regular tickets on sale at the Orear-Henry drug store. Following is given the list of talent and dates:

October 6—DeKoven Male Quartet.
November 8—Dr. James Headley.
December 11—Victoria Lynn Concert Co.
February 7—Prof. Paul Voelker.
March 6—Edward P. Elliott.

This course is given by the Normal in order to furnish to the students the highest order of entertainment and is in no manner a money making proposition. Citizens who assist by buying season tickets will greatly aid in the school's success.

Student canvassers will call with tickets or they may be had at Orear's.

Tickets will be delivered if order is telephoned to the Normal.

Joselyn's Hog and Chicken Powders

I am the agent for these well known remedies, which are sold under a binding and positive guarantee. You are given the opportunity to buy and try these powders without any payment until after you are fully satisfied of their efficacy. They are for sale in Maryville at R. S. Braniger & Co.'s store, or write or phone the store for me.

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Your pump and repair work. Pumps, windmills, scales, etc., of all kinds sold and repaired by E. J. Bailey, the pump man at Armstrong's foundry. Bell phone, office 114, residence 279; Hanamo, residence 259 Red. Farmers 121.

Are You Getting All there is in Your Cream?

A great American is credited with saying that the American people like to be humbugged, and the more you humbug them the better they like you. I don't believe it. To be humbugged is to be humiliated. Don't suffer yourself to be humiliated. We test and weigh your cream correctly. All kinds of produce. CHAS. A. JENSEN, Market Street Market.

Miss Laura Lee Friend of Burlington Junction visited in Maryville a short time Wednesday forenoon with her brother, E. W. Friend, and went to Hopkins to visit her sister, Mrs. Dr. Cossins.

A Ticket to California for $25

That's what a one-way second-class ticket from Kansas City to California may be bought for September 15 to October 15 inclusive. The same or corresponding fare from points on other lines in connection with the Santa Fe.

If you buy one of these tickets you will save considerable money—in many cases as much as $15. Isn't that worth something to you?

If you contemplate visiting the Pacific Coast, Arizona, Mexico, or a number of other places in the Southwest this fall, why not plan to go while these cheap tickets are on sale?

You may travel in tourist sleepers or free chair cars,—both carried on each of the Santa Fe's three fast trains that leave Kansas City daily. These

Tourist Sleepers

are of latest design, and have electric lights, good beds, large dressing rooms and men's smoking rooms.

Very liberal stop-over privileges give chances to visit Grand Canyon, Yosemite Valley and other points of interest.

If you are interested, I will send you a copy of "Tourist Sleeper Excursions" and other literature.

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THE MILLENNIUM.

When earth's last evil is righted and
earth's last sinner reformed,
When all of the graft is ended, when
sin's last fortress is stormed,
We shall rest for an age or longer and
gaze with a happy smile
On the work that we have accomplished, a world that is void of
guile,
But when the resting is over and we
start on the job anew,
What will be left for the doing, and
what in the world will we do?

There will be no sorrows to lighten,
no poverty, crime or pain;
No greedy robbers to battle, no octopus to be slain;
And those who were ever foremost in
fighting the goodly fight
Will find no foeman to grapple and
never a wrong to right,
A mood of perfect contentment, the
heart of the world will lull,
And each of us will be happy, and
Lord! but it will be dull!

When earth's last evil is righted, I
hope I shall not be there;
I should long for the old-time conflict,
for the work and worry and care;
There's fun in the bitter fighting,
there's joy in the mighty game
Of battling against the forces of evil
and woe and shame.
You may long for the perfect era, but
I'm for the clash and jar,
The shouts, and the cheers and the tumult in the world of things as
they are!

—Puck.

A Pointer.

If the way seems dark ahead,
Hope again;
If your friends have turned and fled,
Hide your pain,
If the venture which you thought
Was to pay has come to naught,
Let the good fight still be fought—
Hope again.

If you have been bruised by chance,
Don't despair;
Let hope still gleam in your glance;
Bravely dare;
If the fates appear to frown;
If you've failed to win renown;
Do not hopelessly sit down—
Get somewhere.

If there seems no chance for you,
Cling to hope;
If the gloom is heavy through
Which you grope,
Let your pride be kept alive;
Be determined to arrive—
But don't be too proud to strive
While you hope.

—S. E. Kiser.

Eastman Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

SIX PERSONS SLAIN IN HOMES

Two Families Found With Their Heads Cut Open.

BODIES ALL BADLY MUTILATED

Denies Selfish Interest in Refusing to Acknowledge Relationship — Niles, Mich., Is Torn With Conflicting Opinions About It.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Sept. 21.—Murdered in their own homes by some unidentified person, who used an axe, the bodies of six persons, three in each of two neighboring houses, were found here. The heads of all the victims had been smashed in, and the appearance of the bodies indicated that they had been dead several days and that death came while they slept.

An axe, which had been loaned to Mrs. Henry F. Wayne, one of the victims, by J. R. Evans, a neighbor, last week, was found, blood-stained, by Mrs. Evans near the back door of the Wayne home.

The dead: Mrs. Alice May Burnham, wife of A. J. Burnham, cook at the Modern Woodmen sanitarium; Alice and John Burnham, their two children, aged six and three years; Henry F. Wayne, a consumptive, until recently a patient at the Woodmen sanitarium; Mrs. Wayne; one-year-old baby girl of the Waynes.

Discovered by Neighbor.

The discovery of the bodies was made by a neighbor, who called at the Burnham home to spend the afternoon. Not getting any response and noticing a strong odor, she forced an entrance.

The bodies of Mrs. Burnham and those of her two children were found in their beds, which were covered with blood. The walls and ceiling also were spattered.

The woman rushed to the street and gave the alarm. A dozen persons went to the Wayne house, where there had been no signs of life since Monday, and the same terrible scene was presented. Covered in bed as though in their natural sleep were the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne and their baby, all horribly mangled, as in the case of the bodies in the Burnham house.

That such a crime had been committed in a thickly settled neighborhood and left unrevealed for three days was regarded as incredible. Not even a footprint is to be found on the floor of either house, and not a person could be found who had seen anyone about the premises since Sunday afternoon, when all the murdered persons at different times were in a neighborhood grocery store.

Burnham, who lives at the Modern Woodmen sanitarium, about ten miles from the city, where he is employed, was placed under arrest soon after the discovery of the crime, but there seems nothing to implicate him in the tragedy.

Harvester Company to Reorganize.

Washington, Sept. 21.—That the government is ready to permit the International Harvester company voluntarily to readjust its organization to conform to recent interpretations of the Sherman law, became known. Pending the result of a conference between Attorney General Wickersham and attorneys for the company the threatened dissolution suit is being delayed.

Bakery Boys to Be Taught to Bake.

Kansas City, Sept. 21.—The bakers' apprentice of the future will be taught his trade in a school maintained especially for his benefit. Believing that under such conditions apprentices could learn their trade more quickly and thoroughly, the international convention of bakery and confectionery workers, now in session here, has decided to establish such an institution.

Workmen to Admit Women.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Sept. 21.—By a practically unanimous vote the Oklahoma grand lodge, Ancient Order of United Workmen, approved the admission of members of the degree honor, the women's auxiliary, to full membership in the organization. A new constitution also was adopted and insurance rates were revised.

For Cross State Road in Missouri.

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 21.—Five hundred men and 20 teams met at [illegible] crossing, six miles east of this city and [illegible] effort to the [illegible] co. [illegible] state highway to connect St. Louis and Kansas City by way of Jefferson City.

Dix in Favor of Home Rule for Cities.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—A powerful plea for the emancipation of American cities from the control of state government was made at the International Municipal congress by Governor John A. Dix of New York, whose paper on "Home Rule for Cities" was read by Charles Ickue.

Clerks Will Not Strike.

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 21.—No general strike of Illinois Central clerks is contemplated now, despite local walkouts at Mounds, Ill., and East St. Louis, according to unofficial information given out here during a conference of officials of the employee's federation.

(First insertion Sept. 19; last, Sept. 26)

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Contractors are hereby notified that sealed bids will be received by the city clerk up to 6 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, September 26, 1911, for the building and construction of cement sidewalks as hereinafter enumerated.

A cement sidewalk along and adjacent to the entire north side of a tract of land described as commencing where the north line of Sixth street intersects the east line of the northwest quarter (¼) of the southeast quarter (¼) of section eighteen (18), township sixty-four (64), range thirty-five (35), thence north two hundred and seventy-six (276) feet; thence west six hundred and twenty-seven (627) feet, thence south two hundred and seventy-six (276) feet; thence east six hundred and twenty-seven (627) feet, to the place of beginning, excepting that portion of the above described tract which is owned and occupied by the Wabash Railroad company as right-of-way, said sidewalk to be four feet in width, and four hundred and twenty-seven (427) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the west side of Walnut street, along and adjacent to the east side of lots one (1) and two (2), in quarter block one (1), T. L. Robinson's addition to the city of Maryville, said walk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of Twelfth street, along and adjacent to the entire south side of the east half of lot one (1), in block twenty-five (25), of W. R. Saunders' addition to the city of Maryville, said walk to be four feet in width and thirty-eight (38) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the east side of Market street, lying along and adjacent to the entire west side of lots three (3) and four (4), in block eight (8) original town, now city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four (4) feet in width and one hundred and thirty-three (133) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the south side of Fifth street, along and adjacent to the entire north side of lot one (1), in block twelve (12), northwest extension or addition to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-seven (137) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of Seventh street, along and adjacent to the south side of a tract of land described as follows: Beginning at a point thirty feet east of the southwest corner of lot five, northern boundary, original town, now city of Maryville, Nodaway county, Missouri, and extending thence north to the north line of said lot five, thence east along the north line of said lot five and the north line of lot six, northern boundary, original town, now city of Maryville, to a point thereon due north of a point on the south line of said lot six, three hundred and six (306) feet west of the southeast corner of said lot six, thence south to the south line of said lot six, thence west to place of beginning, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and three hundred and eighty-nine (389) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of Seventh street, along and adjacent to the south side of lot seven (7), northern boundary, original town, now city of Maryville, Nodaway county, Missouri, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and sixty-six feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of First street, along and adjacent to the south side of lots eleven and twelve, block fifty-seven (57), Maryville City company's addition to the city of Maryville, Missouri, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-seven (137) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the east side of Fillmore street, along and adjacent to the west side of lot eight (8), in block block two (2), and sixteen feet off the south side of lot seven (7), in block two (2), northwest extension to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and seventy-three (73) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the south side of Seventh street, along and adjacent to the north side of the north one-third (1-3) of one-half (½) block two (2), northwest extension to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-three (133) feet in length.

Each and every one of the above sidewalks to be built upon the established line and grade, which will be indicated by stakes set by the city engineer without cost to the contractor.

The contractor to use due care in preserving said stakes, and if they should have to be reset, it will be at the expense of the contractor. Each and every one of the above sidewalks are to be built of cement, and in manner and form as provided by the specifications for sidewalks of cement, as set out in section 4-C of ordinance No. 221 of the city of Maryville, as recorded at pages 67-70 of ordinance record No. 8, of the city of Maryville, Missouri.

The work of building and construction shall include all grading, filling or excavation necessary therefor, and the cost of all labor and material and the cost of removal of any and all obstruction from the line of said sidewalks, and shall be completed on or before the first day of November, 1911.

BIDS.

The sidewalk along each and every lot or tract will be let as a separate job, and contractors will file a separate bid for each and every lot they desire to build, said bids to be sealed and filed with the city clerk of the city of Maryville by six o'clock p. m. on the 26th day of September, 1911, and each bidder shall enclose with each bid a certified check on some Maryville bank for ten per cent of the total amount of such bid. The board of aldermen reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

In case a bidder to whom a contract is awarded shall fail, neglect or refuse to enter into a good and sufficient contract with the city of Maryville for the work bid on, and execute to said city a good and sufficient bond for double the amount of his bid, conditioned on the faithful performance of his contract, then the said check shall be forfeited to the city of Maryville.

SUPERVISION.

All of said work shall be done under the supervision of the city engineer and in accordance with the specifications above referred to, and to the satisfaction of said city engineer.

PAYMENT FOR WORK.

Upon the completion of the work and the report of the city engineer that said walks have been built in accordance with the specifications hereinbefore referred to, the board of aldermen shall levy a special assessment against each lot or parcel of ground along which a sidewalk is built for the total amount of the cost thereof, payable to the contractor doing said work, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum after thirty days from the date of issuance, which tax bill shall be delivered to the contractor in full payment for the said work. A copy of the specifications above referred to and any further information required by contractors can be obtained at the office of either the city clerk or the city engineer.

Witness my hand this 18th day of September, 1911.

C. L. GANN, City Clerk.

By authority of ordinance No. 515.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, cheap. Charles Hyslop. 10-tf

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room cottage, close in. T. W. Costello, 321 North Market street. 5-tf

FOR SALE—Sixty acres or less with good improvements, one mile southwest of Maryville limits. J. J. Barr.

FOR SALE—McCormick corn binder, as good as new. T. W. Costello, 321 North Market street. 5-tf

WANTED—Cooks and waiters; good wages and good treatment. Apply at show grounds Friday. Buffalo Bill show. 21-22

LOST—Lady's gold watch. Finder please leave at 605 North Mulberry or call Hanamo 139 or Bell 37. Reward. 19-21

FOR SALE—Eight acres improved in Southeast Maryville. Lella Bonewitz, 1304 East Cooper street, Hanamo 493 Red. 9-tf

WE WANT you to know we are selling the McCormick binder twine at 8c per pound. The best in America. You know me. L. R. Holt. tf

WANTED—Good, live hustler, one not afraid to work. Experience unnecessary. Address J. F. Dunn, 111 South Eighth street, St. Joseph, Mo. 21-23

FOR SALE—Seventy-five heating stoves, all sizes and kinds, also a large amount of other furniture. Anthony, the second-hand man. Hanamo phone 258 Red. Store 207 West Third street.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey hogs of spring farrow, male and female, of no kin. Come and see them. A. B. Dowden, Maryville, Mo. R. F. D. 3. Farmers phone 1-13. 14-tf

INSURE with Hyslop. Fire tornado (farm or city), plate glass, automobile liability, accident or damage, health. Contract and court bonds promptly executed.

For rent—Several dwellings, one with furnace, bath and electric lights. R. L. M'DOUGAL.

Abstracts of title, insurance and loans.

TAKEN UP—One bay mare, weight about 1,000 pounds, white spot in forehead, left front foot white and bob tailed. Owner may have same by paying for this notice and keep. Call 4-22 over Farmers phone, Skidmore. 21-27

JERSEY HEIFER and one Jersey male calf, all from best milk stock and one grade Shorthorn calf; also a number of choice Poland-China male pigs, registered, for sale. Farmers' prices. Call at residence, West Third street, Maryville. N. Simon. tf

PIANO BARGAIN—We have a practically new piano procured from the Maryville Publishing company, taken in part settlement for another instrument. In order to save further expense we will sell very cheap for cash or payments as low as $6.00 per month. For [illegible] write Olney [illegible] Mo. 28-6w-t

STRADIVARIUS VIOLIN

For sale cheap. Excellent, sweet tone and in perfect condition. Could ship on trial. Write to Miss Bertha W. Mardis, Route 5, Rosedale, Kansas.

Moving Back to Maryville.

Frank Orcutt, the contractor, is moving back to Maryville this week. He owns property at the county seat and as he could find no desirable renter, he decided to move back and occupy it himself.

It is said there are thirty or forty vacant houses in Maryville, which indicates that the town is not as much alive just now as this little old place for you can hardly find a vacant house here.—Hopkins Journal.

Say, Have You Ever

Bought any coal from Frank G. Shoemaker and had it delivered with the big white wagon? Those white wagons don't make a bad appearance on the streets of the city do they? And the horses look like they had enough to eat too. So do the drivers. The scales and yards are kept up in the same way, and that system of doing business makes it a legitimate mercantile business, like any other business of the city, and worthy of your patronage if prices and coals are right, and they are—because I am behind every pound of coal sold. If it is not right I will see that all is satisfactory or money refunded. Let me figure with you for your winter coal.

Yours truly,

F. G. SHOEMAKER, Sr.

AMERICAN FENCE

Campbell & Clark

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

B. R. Martin's Law Office.

I have opened a law office in the J. B. Robinson building, first stairway north of the Nodaway Valley bank, where I can be found Saturday of each week. Will come any time by appointment. B. R. MARTIN, Maryville, Mo

K. C. CUMMINS, M. D.,
SURGERY and GENERAL PRACTICE
Office over First National Bank.
Calls answered promptly day or night. All phones.

F. R. Anthony, M. D.
Specialist.
Practice limited to diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and general consultation. All 'phones. Office hours, 9 to 11 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m.

THE "UNIQUE"
First class clothes cleaning and repairing shop. Phones, Hanamo 402. 115½ South Main.
H. J. BECKER, Proprietor.

Chas. E. Stilwell.
Attorney and Counselor at Law.
Office over Maryville National Bank, Maryville, Mo.

DR. G. H. LEACH,
Deputy State Veterinarian and Stock Inspector.
Office, Star Barn. All phones

CLINE & MORGAN,
Graduate and Registered
VETERINARY SURGEONS AND DENTISTS.
Office at Gray's feed barn. Phones Hanamo 93, Farmers 162.

BUSINESS CARDS

I. J. WALKER
Electrical Wiring, Fixtures, Supplies
Bell phone 91 120½ West 3rd st.

FRANK MARTIN & SON,
PLUMBING AND HEATING.
We Solicit Your Business.
All phones. Maryville, Mo

J. L. FISHER
Repairing Guns, Bicycles, Gas Engines and Automobiles.
Robey's Garage, 115 West Fourth

F. S. GRUNDY,
PLUMBING AND HEATING.
We Never Sleep.
Hanamo 46, Bell 314. Maryville, Mo

Van Steenbergh & Son
Dry Cleaning, Pressing
Phone Hanamo 279

Apples Wanted

Bring your apples to my place, east side square, and get the highest market price.

H. J. SCHAUB.
V. E. Davis, Agent.

DAILY DEMOCRAT FORUM

(Successor to the Maryville Republican)

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JEWISH NEW YEAR

OBSERVED AS A HOLY DAY BY THE ORTHODOX JEWS.

COMES NEXT SATURDAY

The Jewish Day is Not a Mere Day of Rejoicing, as is the Secular New Year.

Rosh Hashana, or New Year's day, marking the beginning of the Jewish year 5672, falls this year on Saturday. It is to be observed as a holy day from 6 o'clock tomorrow night to sundown of Saturday. The orthodox Jew observes also the so-called "second day," Sunday this year.

There are only a few members of the Jewish faith in Maryville at the present time, and, owing to this fact, there will be no observance of the day here, but at Adath temple, in St. Joseph, there will be special services at 8 o'clock tomorrow night and at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. Tomorrow night the subject of Rabbi Louis Bernstein will be "Spinning in the Sun." His subject Saturday morning will be "The Test."

The Biblical basis for the observance of the first day of Tishri as a New Year's day and the most solemn day of the Jewish calendar next to Yom Kippur or the Day of Atonement, is found in the reference to a Zikkaron ("Memorial day") in Leviticus 23:24, which reads:

"In the seventh month, in the first day of the month, shall ye have a sabbath, a memorial of blowing of trumpets, a holy convocation."

Ezra also refers to the day as one "holy to the Lord," Nehemiah 8:9.

Not a mere day of rejoicing, like the secular New Year, is this Rosh Hashanah. It is a day of memorial or a day of remembrance, reminding the Jew of the duty of self-examination and self-judgment. To arouse the conscience to this solemn task the ceremony of sounding the Shofar or ram's horn, forms an important feature of the service. Among the orthodox Jews attainment of this object is also sought by setting aside a few days before the New Year's day for the recital, in the synagogue, of penitential prayers called Selihot. This continues until the eve of the Day of Atonement. These Selihot (chanted in the minor key) before dawn in the dimly lit houses of worship, sound the note of grief and contrition for the sins of the past year.

In many places the curious ceremony of Tashlich, originating perhaps with the German Jews not earlier than the fourteenth century, is observed on the afternoon of New Year's day. The worshipers congregate near a running stream when the eighteenth to twentieth verses of the seventh chapter of Micah are intoned, ending with the phrase which no doubt suggested the ceremony, "Thou wilt cast all their sins into the depths of the sea."

After the solemn services on the evening of Friday and the morning of Saturday, the Hebrew greeting is heard on all sides, signifying "A good year" or "Mayest thou be inscribed (in the Book of Life) for a good year." In latter years a custom has appeared of sending to friends New Year's greeting cards of various designs, colors and inscriptions. When the earnest devotions of the day are done, the festival is made an occasion of social and domestic rejoicing.

Still There's Hope.

That marvelous wizard, Thomas A. Edison, is going to tell us how to live to be 200 years old, instead of three score and ten. Cheer up, patient Chillicothean. You may yet see the streets lighted and the city water purified.—Chillicothe Constitution.

We Want to Make Our Store Your Store

To make you feel that HERE you can buy the thing you WANT—buy them BETTER and CHEAPER than elsewhere. To KNOW that we strive always to win your friendly patronage by courteous, honest service. We want to be able always, to give you satisfaction. To do that, we must first know you, your tastes and desires. We are confident of success if you will

PUT US TO THE TEST.

Hotchkin's Variety Store

106 South Main St.

Dr. Gertrude DuVall

The Fitting of Glasses a Specialty.

114½ South Main Street.

WILL BE DELEGATE TO GENERAL CONFERENCE

Rev. C. R. Green and Mrs. Green have returned from Kahoka, Mo., where they attended the North Missouri conference of the Methodist Protestant churches. Rev. Green was re-appointed to the pastorate of the Harmony church, which is highly satisfactory to the church members and their many friends. There is not a more consecrated minister anywhere, nor one who uses better or more effective methods for keeping a church at work and alive, spiritually and physically, than the pastor of Harmony, and we are glad he has been returned.

Quite an honor was bestowed upon Rev. Green during the conference proceedings. He was chosen as the ministerial delegate from the North Missouri conference to the general conference, which meets in Baltimore in May, 1912. This is an honor that seldom comes to so young a minister as Rev. Green. There will be four delegates from Missouri, two ministerial delegates from the North and South conferences and two lay delegates. The general conference is the largest law-making body of the denomination.

MRS. CARSON HARMAN DIED IN DAKOTA

Henry Kelley of South Depot street left Thursday morning for Gill City, S. D., in response to a telegram stating the death on Wednesday night of his sister, Mrs. Carson Harman.

Mrs. Harman was about 66 years of age. She was a native of Ohio, but was reared to womanhood in this county and married here. Her husband, who died last winter in Hot Springs, S. D., of cancer, was a brother of the late Captain M. B. W. Harman of Pickering. They moved to South Dakota a good many years ago, and their four children live in that country. Mrs. Harman leaves another brother, Newton Kelley, living east of Pickering, and a half-brother, George W. Null, of Maryville.

Todays Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—5,000. Market slow. Estimate tomorrow, 2,000.

Hogs—16,000. Market steady; top, $7.15. Estimate tomorrow, 12,000.

Sheep—28,000. Market slow.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—5,000. Market slow.

Hogs—8,000. Market steady; top, $6.80.

Sheep—7,000. Market slow.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,500. Market slow.

Hogs—4,000. Market steady; top, $6.80.

Sheep—1,300. Market slow.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Sept. 20.—Cattle receipts, 6,500. Steers 10@15c lower; butcher cattle unchanged. Do not expect much in market.

Hog receipts, 1,000. Five cents lower than Tuesday's close; top, $7.10; bulk, $6.85@7.05. Further decline logical if heavy receipts continue.

Sheep receipts, 3,000. Market strong; top lambs, $6.00; sheep, $3.75.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

Visited at Pickering.

Mrs. T. J. Buzard of Memphis, Tenn., and her brother-in-law, Edward M. Carpenter, and his two daughters and son of Walter, Okla., who have been visiting Mrs. Buzard's brother, Sanford Jones, and family, at Pickering, returned to Maryville Wednesday and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tarpley. Mrs. Buzard and Mrs. Tarpley are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Wolfert started Wednesday for an automobile trip to Clarinda. They were compelled by the rain to abandon the automobile at Burlington Junction, and made the remainder of their trip by train.

Mrs. M. F. May and daughter, Miss Cleo May, of Burlington Junction, came to Maryville Thursday. Miss Cleo May will undergo a surgical operation at St. Francis hospital for appendicitis.

Mrs. A. T. Clark of the Ream hotel is confined to her bed by rheumatism.

Latest post cards. 1 cent each, at Crane's.

CAN'T USE COLORS

DECORATIONS USED IN ST. JOSEPH ARE OF DIFFERENT COLORS

SPECIAL STARS SECURED

Extra Police for Street Fair Have Been Provided For—Extensive Advertising Being Done.

Mayor Robey and John A. Wallace returned Thursday noon from St. Joseph, where they went on business in connection with the coming street fair in Maryville. The object of their visit was to get the decorations that will be used next week in that city for the stock and horse show, but as their colors are purple and yellow they will not be used in Maryville unless the street fair committee decides to change the colors from red and white to purple and yellow.

While Mr. Wallace was in St. Joseph he had twelve policemen's stars made and they will be used during fair week. The stars are numbered from 3 on up. Mr. Wallace is intending to have from fifteen to twenty men during that week on the police force.

Stickers advertising the street fair are being used by the merchants of the city on their letters and other matter sent out over the county. The papers are using them on all papers sent exchanges in the northwest part of the state. So far the street fair has been well advertised.

A party composed of M. A. Turner, F. R. Marcell, Albert Kuchs and Carl Murray took in the county fair at Clarinda Wednesday and advertised the street fair in that community.

The St. Joseph people are anxious that the Maryville Automobile club take part in the automobile parade to be given next week. The cars would have to be decorated before they could participate. Prizes of over $1,200 are to be given, and St. Joseph would like to see Maryville well represented in the parade.

STREET RAILWAY OFFICIALS FROM EAST

The big Burlington special train, No. 686, consisting of twelve coaches, bearing street railway officials from all over the east, who had been attending the convention in St. Joseph, passed through Maryville Wednesday forenoon at 11:40 o'clock over the Burlington road, en route to Chicago, in charge of Special Conductor A. P. Haley.

The distinguished travelers were escorted to Creston by Division Passenger Agent J. D. Baker of St. Joseph.

Called by Father's Death.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibbs and their little boys left Thursday morning for their home in Sedalia, Mo., after a several days' stay here with their mother, Mrs. E. S. Gibbs of East Seventh street. They were called here by the fatal illness of Mr. Gibbs' father, Elbert S. Gibbs, whose death occurred last Sunday night. The youngest son, Oakley Gibbs of Omaha, also returned home Thursday morning. He is employed by a grain company. Another son, Everett Gibbs of Calgary, province of Alberta, Canada, will remain with her a few weeks to assist her in business matters. Mrs. Gibbs will go to Sedalia and live with her son this coming winter.

On Visit to Sister.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gahring of Maringo, Ia., were in Maryville Thursday morning between trains, going to Arkoe to visit Mrs. Gahring's sister, Mrs. Walter Coulter, and her husband.

Left for Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Mosteller of Philadelphia, Pa., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hutchison, left for their home Wednesday. Mr. Hutchison is their cousin.

DR. FINN

Treats eyes with glasses only. He can give you 5,000 references in Maryville and Nodaway county. Ask your neighbors about Finn's glasses that make weak eyes strong.

W. B. FINN.

PLUGGED WITH SOAP

HOLES DRILLED IN JAIL WALLS CLEVERLY CONCEALED.

ATTEMPT TO BREAK JAIL

Discovered Evidences While Showing Visitors Through—Lots of Calls for Soap.

Sheriff Tilson this morning frustrated an attempt at jail breaking that came very nearly being successful. Wednesday afternoon while showing some visitors through the jail he noticed some suspicious actions among the prisoners and became convinced that something was wrong. He, however, could find no evidence beyond a few fresh bits of powdered stone, but he could not see where the dust came from.

He felt uneasy, and this morning he went into the jail for another look, and on the north side of the jail he discovered six holes drilled into the rock and carefully plugged up with soap and smoothed over with the dust from the stone. The only thing that remained to make the job complete was the completion of some wedges or plugs they were making to drive into the holes and split the rocks.

Two of these wedges were ready and four more were necessary. This work was slow because they had no knife with which to work, and they were being worn down to the right size by rubbing them on the stone wall. Chair rounds were being used to make the wedges. The boring into the wall was done with a small piece of iron that resembles a piece of a stove hook. It is was carefully hid in a crack in the wall back out of sight and had a string to it by which the prisoners could locate it when it was wanted.

The thing that first attracted the attention of the sheriff was the frequent calls for soap since Monday, and there was no evidence that there was any amount of washing being done, either.

The prisoners in the jail at the present time are George Bragg, brought here from Wyoming about two weeks ago, charged with stealing a hog from William Mozingo last winter; Jim and Wood Golding, charged with robbing a box car at Ravenwood; Pegg Conklin, serving a year's sentence in jail, with about five months yet to serve; Floyd Jackson, arrested at Burlington Junction, and Bunk Edmonston, serving a term for abuse and neglect of his family.

Bragg admitted to the sheriff that he did the work, and declared that no one else had any hand in it. This was after the sheriff had found the two finished pegs in Bragg's bed and had threatened to lock him in a dark cell until he should tell the truth.

A similar attempt was made during ex-Sheriff Evans' administration, and a number of small holes were drilled into the wall. It is thought that Bragg and his fellows in this effort had planned to make their dash for liberty Friday, while the crowds were in to attend the show.

WILL RETURN TO MISSOURI SOON

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Crabb, who have been making their home in Houston, Texas, the past three years, have decided to return to Missouri. Mr. Crabb has purchased a merchandise business at Darlington and will locate there soon. Mr. Crabb and his wife have been spending the past three months in and near Maryville, their former home. They went to Pickering Wednesday to visit Mrs. Crabb's brother, Clinton McDowell, and family. They expect to leave Saturday morning for Texas to sell out their interests there and return as soon as they are disposed of.

Traded for Maryville Property.

Perry Godman of Bethany this week traded his residence property at 408 West Third street, this city, to George Oliphant of Bethany for an interest in a drug store owned by Mr. Oliphant. The deal was made through the agency of Bickett & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Anderson of Red Oak, Ia., are moving Thursday into the Bent property on North Buchanan street. Mr. Anderson is the new manager of the True clothing store, formerly the Shepard clothing store.

Latest stationery for correspondence at Crane's.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Miss Jones Sang at Reception.

Miss Marie Jones of the Conservatory faculty, who left Monday for Chicago, where she will join the Jane Wrate Concert company for a concert tour of eight months in the north and on the Pacific coast company, sang at a reception in Chicago Tuesday night, given at Grace Methodist Episcopal church, on LaSalle avenue. The reception was given by the Sunday school class of which she was a member while she was the soloist for that church during her vocal studies last year under Mr. Chris Anderson. Last Sunday a farewell gathering of Miss Jones' family was held in her honor at the home of her brother, Oliver E. Jones, who lives six miles northeast of Maryville. The reunion also celebrated the tenth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jones. All of the members of the family gathered at the Jones home as a surprise to them. All carried well filled baskets, and the day was pleasantly spent in conversation and music. The Jones quartet, composed of Messrs. Oliver, Raymond, and Alfred Jones and their sister, Miss Marie Jones, sang several numbers, and there was a duet by Mildred and Wendell Jones. The company included Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Jones and daughter, Marie; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jones and children, Leroy and Loretta, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Jones and son, Verne; Mr. and Mrs. George Greeson and children, George A., Court, Jack, Elizabeth and Kenneth; Mrs. A. M. Culbertson, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Jones and children, Mildred, Wendell and Velma.

Miss Jones will sing in Grace M. E. church of Chicago the coming Sunday. She will start on her concert tour September 30.

For Miss Pierce and Guest.

Mrs. Ferdinand M. Townsend gave a charming afternoon euchre party, as a compliment to Miss Dorothy Pierce and her guest, Miss Geraldine Coffee of Steelville, who has made a summer's visit at the Pierce home. Miss Pierce leaves before many days for her studies at Chicago university and Miss Coffee leaves for her home Friday night. The Townsend home was lovely in lavish decorations of pink gladiolas. The game prize was won by Miss Rena Sturm and Miss Coffee received the guest prize. The guest list included Miss Pierce, Miss Coffee, Miss Laura Barmann, Miss Helen Ford, Miss Kittie Grems, Miss Della Grems, Miss Eva Rittenour, Miss Donna Sisson, Miss Clara Sturm, Miss Rena Sturm, Miss Brownie Toel, Miss Esther Shoemaker, Miss Neva Reaksecker, Miss Emma Lee Taylor, Miss Lora Stockton, Miss Susie Ellison and her sister, Mrs. Estil D. Holland of Hot Springs, Ark.; Mrs. Lafe Allender, Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., Miss Mabel Allen, Mrs. Ralph Eversole, Miss Nelle Conrad, Miss Elise Jackson, Miss Maud Balnum, Miss Jeanette Tate, Miss Julia Tate and Miss Alma Nash.

To Be Guests in Kansas City.

Mrs. J. C. Black and little daughter of De Queen, Ark., who have been visiting in Maryville the past six weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Walk, went to Kansas City Thursday morning to spend a week with an old schoolmate, Mrs. Zoe Updegraff Clark, formerly of Maryville. Mrs. Black's husband, Dr. J. Clarence Black, expects to meet them in Kansas City and accompany them to De Queen. Mrs. Black and her little daughter have been honor guests at several dinners and other social gatherings during their visit, given by old schoolmates.

Will Celebrate Birthday.

C. W. Spillman, the genial clerk at the Ream hotel, has invited a few friends to join him in celebrating his seventy-fourth birthday anniversary at the hotel the evening of September 26. Mr. Spillman has been in the hotel business for many years, and for the past two years has been a resident of Maryville. His friends will all join in wishing him good health, good luck and many pleasant return of this anniversary.

Suits Filed.

Harry Dailey vs. Sarah Martin et al., to perfect title.

Mrs. Walter Ferree went to Lenox, Ia., Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Harry Cochran.

Mrs. M. A. Joy of Elmo arrived Wednesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Hopper.

AN ENGINEER SOON

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS HAS SEVERAL PROPOSITIONS.

MAY HIRE TWO FIRMS

Two More Engineers Look Over the Situation and Somebody Will Get a Contract This Week.

The indications are that the board of public works will employ an engineer to examine the old water plant and estimate its value within the next day or two. For the past two days they have been in almost constant session with different engineers who are applicants for the job and have accumulated a lot of valuable information for themselves in their several talks.

Wednesday they had a meeting with E. M. Stevens, with whom the council was negotiating. He represents the McLaughlin Engineering company of Kansas City. They also had with them last night R. E. McDonald of the firm of Burns & McDonald, also of Kansas City. Propositions have been received from all the applicants, and it is only a question of a very short time until the board will let out the job.

It is very probable that two different firms will be employed. The board is determined to do their work well, and they feel that estimates from two different firms will guarantee a complete and thorough examination and report.

Since the election in Maryville authorizing the issuing of bonds for a water plant an agitation has been started for a water works system at Hopkins. The Journal is giving space to the proposition in every issue, and it is very probable that an election will be held in Hopkins for that purpose next spring.

MEMBER OF FACULTY AT CAMDEN POINT

Miss Edna Van Briggle, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Van Briggle of this city, who went to Camden Point, Mo., a week ago to attend the Christian College for Young Women, has been made a member of the faculty. A number of the students wished to take short hand and typewriting, and as Miss Van Briggle was well experienced in its use, she was appointed to take charge of that department, that was at once provided for the benefit of the students. Miss Van Briggle studied the course at the Maryville Business college and was also employed in Charles E. Stillwell's law office for about two years, and is well qualified to teach.

The ball game between the north side and south side boys which was scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, was prevented by the rain. The boys have decided to try it again Saturday afternoon, and no admission will be charged.

C. D. Bellows returned Thursday noon from a short business visit at Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pierce sepnt Thursday in St. Joseph.

The Weather

Fair tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature.

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A WRONG TO LABOR.

One of the needed reforms that should receive the early attention of congress is in connection with foreign immigration. There should be some way to restrict immigration to legitimate immigration. While the inspectors at Ellis island are busy trying to determine whether some technical blemish shall bar a would-be good citizen from our shore, the agents of the great steamship companies are scouring every European country trying to induce the poor, ignorant workmen from every clime to come and compete with American labor.

In order to haul them over here the grossest misrepresentations are practiced with reference to conditions here. Men are made to believe that a fortune awaits them in America without half an effort, and thousands of half starved and unskilled men are brought over every year and plunged into the vortex of suffering in the great cities.

There should be a way to stop this dishonest practice. It is said that there are now 2,500,000 men in this country idle. That is a larger number than ever before, except during the panic of 1907, and it is likely to be increased during the coming winter. With this over-supplied labor market a continuous stream of disappointed foreign workers are unloaded upon our shores to result only in lowering wages and aggravating want.

This is an injustice both to the American workman and to the foreigner who is deceived into leaving his native country with false hopes. Action should be taken that will put a stop to the practice.

Judge Peter Grosscup has resigned from the federal court of appeals. He was an able, vigorous man of great individuality, but the country as a whole will not be plunged into unconsolable grief over his retirement. His dynamic originality caused him to be regarded to some extent as a judicial freak, and many of his most important decisions were at variance with public opinion. He says that a judge of the federal appellate court is merely a weed puller in the judicial garden. In the matter of discriminating between the weeds and the flowers there is ofttimes a variance between the views expressed by the federal courts and those popularly held that occasions criticism.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McMacken and Mrs. McMacken's mother, Mrs. W. H. Davis, of Burlington Junction, spent Thursday in Maryville.

Mrs. F. M. Scott and children are in Kansas City visiting relatives. They will visit at Independence before they return.

Miss Alice Logan went to Parnell Thursday to visit her mother, Mrs. George Logan, for a few days.

Mrs. L. H. Lash of Rosendale arrived Thursday noon to visit her cousin, Mrs. J. L. Neal of East First street.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spangler of Burlington Junction were in the city Thursday.

Miss Frances Berg of Clyde was shopping in the city Thursday.

THE FAMOUS BROILERS, WITH "TWO MERRY TRAMPS," EMPIRE THEATER, FRIDAY, SEPT. 22, WILD WEST NIGHT.

THINGS THEY LEARN

EDUCATION OF BOY SCOUTS IS NAT LEAST PART OF TRAINING.

EDUCATION IS PRACTICAL

The Value Apparent When Number of Persons Annually Poisoned is Considered.

The Boy Scouts of America are being taught to be both cautious and helpful to others by learning about weeds and mushrooms. They are instructed how to distinguish between the poisonous and non-poisonous weeds, to know the difference between mushrooms that are edible and those which are poisonous, and to destroy toadstools. The value of this educational work which is carried on by scout masters who have charge of the boys is apparent when it is considered how many persons every year are killed simply through their lack of knowledge of poisonous mushrooms and weeds. It is apparent also how great a help the hundreds of thousands of Boy Scouts who acquire this knowledge can be to the country at large.

The manual with which the Boy Scouts are provided gives them detailed information about mushrooms. It explains the more common edible varieties and teaches them how to tell whether a mushroom is safe to eat. It also explains much to them about ordinary weeds along the roadside. These things are practical not only for the boys who spend a great deal of time in the woods, but also for grown-ups who are fond of walking in the country and who often, through lack of knowledge, are made violently ill.

At the scout masters' and patrol leaders' training school at Camp Recreation, Big Darby, O., one of the important things that was taught to the men and the boys was this study of mushrooms and weeds. Malcolm P. Junkin, scout master and student in the State college in Pennsylvania, who was director of a camp and an instructor in woodcraft and camping, laid special stress on this kind of work and pointed out to the scout masters the necessity of seeing that the Boy Scouts acquired this practical information.

The leaders of the Scout movement say the Boy Scouts, numbering several hundred thousand, can be of great help by making a study of weeds and mushrooms.

Mrs. Bert Hiatt and daughter, Gertrude, of Pickering, returned home Thursday from a stay in Maryville since Monday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Weisenberger. Mrs. Hiatt came on account of the illness of her sister, Miss Annie Weisenberger, who underwent a surgical operation at St. Francis hospital for appendicitis Monday. She is getting along nicely.

F. L. Cason of Clearmont, who has been visiting his niece, Mrs. L. L. Meier of this city, left Thursday morning for Garden City, Mo.

Miss Josephine Kimmett went to Cylde Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. J. A. Linneman.

Mrs. W. Mackey of Conception was in Maryville on business Wednesday.

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dutton entertained at dinner Wednesday their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna, and Mrs. Hanna's guest, Mrs. Dr. J. D. Holland of Riverside, Cal., and Miss Hildred Hanna.

For California Guest.

Mrs. O. C. Hanna is entertaining informally Thursday afternoon a few former friends and schoolmates of her guest, Mrs. Dr. J. D. Holland of Riverside, Cal., formerly Miss Emma Parker of this city.

ANNIVERSARY OF BIG STORM PAST

Some have called attention to the fact that September 18 was the sixth anniversary of the date when Ringling Bros.' circuit tent was destroyed in Maryville, causing the death of two people and injuring several others.

Following this unfortunate occurrence damage suits were brought against the circus people amounting to $100,000, but the plaintiffs failed to realize on them, and the last of these was stricken from the docket some time ago.

It may also be noted that this was the last big circus that has appeared in Maryville. As all the better towns favorably located like Manyville are usually visited by some of the big circuses every year or two, it is surmised that this continued absence can only be accounted for on the ground that the circus trust, which includes all the larger shows, has boycotted Maryville because of the troubles of the Ringlings here. This does not seriously disturb our adult citizens, as they can journey to St. Joseph, Kansas City and Omaha "on business," but it hits the small boy pretty hard.

As long, however, as Buffalo Bill holds out the famine will be relieved occasionally, and many good dollars will be saved for the local entertainments.

Moving to Burlington Junction.

Mrs. Luke Brown of Burlington Junction was in the city Thursday on her way to Hopkins to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Herbert. She will return to the Junction Monday, accompanied by her little daughters, who have been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert while Mr. and Mrs. Brown were getting settled in their new home in Burlington Junction. Mr. Brown recently purchased the Rees hardware store at that place. Their former home was at Meadville, Mo., near where they lived on a farm.

James C. Pistole of Hopkins went to Rosendale Thursday to attend the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. George W. Pistole, who died in Kansas City Monday night.

Mrs. G. Rozelle and her daughter, Mrs. Cleve Moyer, and little daughter of Maitland are in the city for a few days' visit with Mrs. Rozelle's mother, Mrs. George Long.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Olson of Red Oak, Ia., who have been visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Luppold, left for their home Wednesday in their touring car.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Van Cleve of Moberly, Mo., are visiting their son, W. C. Van Cleve, and family.

S. T. Simpson of Columbia was in Maryville on business Thursday.

Calling on Literary Folk.

L. F. Palmer of Kansas City is in Maryville calling on our literary people with "The Real America in Romance."

Fine watch and jewelry repairing at Crane's.

Had Visited at Quitman.

Edward Kerns and son, Ray, of St. Joseph, who have been visiting the family of his sister, Mrs. Joseph Kempf, living two miles west of Quitman, were in Maryville Wednesday on their way home. They were accompanied by Mr. Kerns' niece and nephew, Miss Sadie Kempf and Lawrence Kempf, who went to St. Joseph for a visit.

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Conan Doyle at His Best.

The story reading world seems to be unanimous in the verdict that Sir Arthur Conan Doyle is at his best in his Sherlock Holmes stories. The Chicago Record-Herald is now in the act of breaking another record by printing in its columns all the Sherlock Holmes stories ever written, both short and long. Some it has published in the past, but many of the best are still to come. It is the only paper in Chicago now running Sherlock Holmes stories.

The Record-Herald has only recently begun on the "Memoirs of Sherlock Holmes," a series of thirteen of these famous detective tales. The stories, which have been appearing only on Sundays, are now to run right along through every day of the week until completed. This series is to be followed by two long Sherlock Holmes serials—"A Study in Scarlet" and "The Sign of the Four." Many persons are taking advantage of this chance to read the world's best detective stories.

Sherlock Holmes has the honor of being the most widely known character in fiction. The fascination of his adventures and of his marvelous detective powers is felt by all classes of readers. You can always find some of the best popular fiction of the day in The Record-Herald, but this Conan Doyle series is something out of the ordinary, even for that enterprising paper.

Major John B. O'Meara of St. Louis, formerly lieutenant governor of Missouri, is a candidate for state treasurer.

WILD WEST, OR?
EMPIRE THEATER,
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22.

Belles of the East Side.

Those Famous Funny Fellows, Wood and Ward, with a Gorgeous Gowned Group of Gibson Girls, presenting that hop, step and jump musical tom-foolery, "Two Merry Tramps," a singy song farce with music, mirth and melody. Three hundred and sixty-five days ahead of them all when it comes to novelties. Remember it's on wild west night, September 22. Prices, 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

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First Week in October

Announcement

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It is possible to buy and will sell it at a price that cannot be beaten any place. I have been engaged in the hardware business for years and know the business from one end to the other---know how to buy and how to sell.

Come in and get acquainted. I have retained Mr. Hill and Mr. Rigney in my employ and they will be glad to serve you.

H. C. Bower
West Side Hardware Man

SPANISH REVOLT IS PUT DOWN

Prompt Action by Government Completely Confounds Rebels.

STRIKE IS POSTPONED ONE DAY

No Serious Disorders in Provinces So Far as Strict Censorship Allows the Conditions to Be Known—Prisons Crowded With Suspects.

Madrid, Sept. 21.—The strikes in many parts of Spain continue, but the revolution seems to be completely confounded by the prompt and energetic action of the government. The postponement of the general strike for one day is regarded as indicating that the backbone of the movement is broken.

The government, while appearing to take the most drastic measures, does not lose sight of the democratic ideals which have inspired its program. Premier Canalejas declared that martial law notwithstanding, the government, would respect the right to strike if legally followed, but he gave fair warning that if the employees of the public services strike without giving the previous notification, as required by law, the promptest measures would be taken to end the strike.

So far as a censorship of great severity allows conditions to be known, there were no serious disorders in the provinces. Most of the principal agitators either were laid by the heels or their actions were crippled effectively. Telegraphic and telephonic communications have been cut off from all suspected persons, including the Republican and Socialist leaders.

Houses have been searched and arms seized and the prisons are crowded with rioters and political suspects.

King Alfonso has announced his intention of remaining in Madrid until the crisis is over.

PRAYED TOO LOUD

Church Service Broken Up by Repentance of a Sinner.

Logansport, Ind., Sept. 21.—To what pitch and at what length may a repentant sinner lift his voice at a church service without disturbing the peace is a question to be decided by Justice of the Peace Hanawalt.

In an affidavit Deacon Harvey Helvie of the Zion Evangelical church recites that he exhorted John Clouse last Sunday "to lift his voice in repentance, and Clouse obeyed so earnestly and persistently that neither the pastor nor the choir could make themselves heard, and the service was abandoned.

Pastor, choir and leading members of the church are summoned as witnesses in the case, and some of them will defend Clouse as having been within his rights.

PLEADS FOR PARCELS POST

Superintendent of Rural Mail Service Says Change Would Wipe Out Deficit.

Milwaukee, Sept. 21.—Parcels post in connection with rural delivery was advocated by George S. Thompson, superintendent of the rural mail service, who addressed the delegates attending the National Rural Letter Carriers' convention.

Mr. Thompson said that while the rural service was now conducted at a loss, that were parcels post added in that department a big gain would soon be shown. Mr. Thompson's remarks were greeted enthusiastically.

Congressman William J. Cary of the Fourth Wisconsin district reviewed his bill introduced in congress, which provides for an increase in salaries of 25 per cent of all government employees receiving below $2,000 a year.

Eight Caught by Etna Lava.

Catania, Sicily, Sept. 21.—The eruption of Mount Etna, which seemed to be calming down, resumed its former activity. It is feared that eight peasants have been cut off by the lava. Shots from their guns, evidently to attract attention, were heard, but no aid could be given, as nobody was even able to approach the spot because of the floods of lava.

Old-Time Pupils Greet Clark.

Lawrenceburg, Ky., Sept. 21.—Champ Clark, speaker of the national house of representatives, came home to make a speech in behalf of the state Democratic ticket. An escort of 100 men, who were pupils of Mr. Clark when he taught school in Anderson county nearly forty years ago, were at the depot to welcome him.

Blanco Gets His Orders.

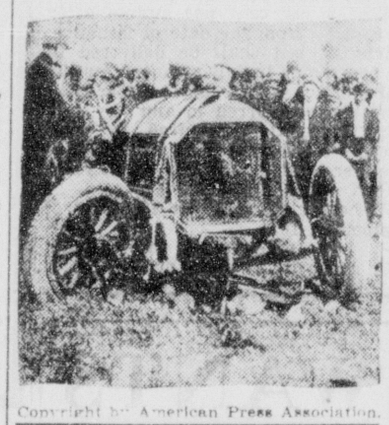
El Paso, Tex., Sept. 21.—General Jose de la Luz Blanco, commander of rurales in northern Chihuahua, has been officially ordered to take his forces to Morales and give fight to Zapata. General Blanco has been with Madero in his campaign in Yucatan and will return at once to Casas Grandes and get his army.

McManigal Breaks With Wife.

Los Angeles, Sept. 21.—With the trial of John J. and James McNamara, accused of murder by dynamiting, two weeks away, Ortie McManigal, chief witness for the state, announced that he had broken with his wife, Mrs. Emma McManigal, who is claimed by the defense as a strong witness.

AUTO THAT KILLED TWELVE

Oldfield's Racing Car; It Ran Into Crowd at New York State Fair.



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STREET CAR STRIKE IN DETROIT SETTLED

Men Receive Raise in Pay and Return to Work.

Detroit, Sept. 21.—The strike of the Detroit United Railway employees was settled by arbitration. The employees accepted a new wage rate schedule of 23 cents an hour for the first six months, 27½ cents for the next year and 29½ cents thereafter. The rate was within half a cent of that originally demanded.

It was also agreed that the men would be placed at the disposal of the company thirteen hours a day, instead of eleven and a half hours. This arrangement is to be effective for the next 120 days and will be continued thereafter if agreeable to all concerned.

Before the agreement could be formally completed it was necessary to appoint a third arbitrator, Circuit Judge William M. Connolly being chosen. Less than fifteen minutes after the agreement was signed conductors and motormen were hustling to the barns to start the cars on the early morning schedule.

Not a cent's worth of damage by strikers has been reported and not a street car employee was arrested.

TO HALT TOWNWARD DRIFT

Rural Life Conference to Be Held at Kirksville, Mo.

Kirksville, Mo., Sept. 21.—Initiating an organized effort to stop the townward drift in the state, the first Missouri rural life conference will be held here Sept. 28 to Oct. 1, under the auspices of the state normal school.

Among the speakers will be H. J. Waters, dean of the Kansas state agricultural college; Professor C. Bishop of the Iowa state agricultural college, E. T. Fairchild, state superintendent of public instruction of Kansas, and Dr. W. P. Cutler, Missouri state food and drug commissioner.

An exhibit will be made of labor saving devices, models, charts, and photographs of scenes, to show the brighter side of rural life so often believed to be one long course of drudgery.

$5,232,539 DEFICIT

Annual Report of Missouri Pacific Railway.

New York, Sept. 21.—The annual report of the Missouri Pacific railway for the year ending June 30, 1911, shows a deficit of $5,232,539.

Cereal Company Fails to Pay Up.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—A long drawn out fight in the courts probably will follow the action of the Great Western Cereal company in failing to pay the semi-annual interest, due Sept. 1, on its first mortgage 6 per cent bonds, of which there are $684,500 outstanding. The company has advised the Chicago bank, which is trustee for the bond issue, that its mills are closed and that it has no funds to pay the bond interest, amounting to $20,535.

Taft Concludes Michigan Visit.

Marquette, Mich., Sept. 21.—With the conclusion of his visit to Marquette, President Taft turned southward to the lower peninsula of Michigan and to Illinois and the states beyond the Mississippi river, where next week he will invade the west.

Wife of Justice Day Ill.

Canton, O., Sept. 21.—Mrs. William R. Day, wife of Justice Day of the United States supreme court, is dangerously ill at the family home here. Justice Day, it is said, will not attend the opening of the supreme court in October.

Case of Plague at Stockton.

Stockton, Cal., Sept. 21.—Angelo Bianchi, a laborer, was taken to the isolation hospital here, suffering from the bubonic plague. He is thought to have been bitten by a fly which had become inoculated from a squirrel.

Iowan Lost in Wood; May Be Dead.

Tacoma, Wash., Sept. 21.—John Crimp of Mason City, Ia., is lost in the woods. He has been lost for several days and little hope is entetained of finding him alive. He was out hunting.

MRS. KIMMEL NOT CERTAIN

Aged Woman Unable to Say Whether He is Long Lost Son.

NOT BENEFICIARY OF POLICY.

Neighbor Who Calls at Burnham Home to Spend Afternoon Makes Fearful Discovery and Gives Alarm. Husband of Dead Woman Arrested.

Niles, Mich., Sept. 21.—Niles' strange controversy over the identity of "George A. Kimmel," who represents himself to be a son long supposed to be dead, was further complicated.

While dozens of people positively identified him as the son for whose supposed death thirteen years ago Mrs. Estella Kimmel received $5,000 in life insurance, others were as positive that he was not the son.

Then Mrs. Kimmel, seventy years old, who had asserted that the man was impersonating her son merely to deprive her of the money she already has received and to prevent the payment of $25,000 more in insurance to other relatives, scrutinized the man who claims her as mother.

Face to face with the woman, the "Kimmel" just released from a five-year term in the Auburn (N. Y.) penitentiary, stretched out his arms and said, pleadingly: "Mother, don't you know your boy; don't disown me any longer. You know I am your son."

Mrs. Kimmel, withdrawing from the man as he attempted to embrace her, stood sternly scanning his face.

"No," she said, "I don't see in you any positive resemblance to my son."

The meeting took place at the home of Mrs. Harry L. Fox, who already had accepted "Kimmel" as a cousin and positively identified him as the son of Mrs. Kimmel. It was made known that Mrs. Kimmel has no direct interest in any money which the insurance companies refuse to pay on the ground that the son is still living, but that a $20,000 policy is held by a daughter, Mrs. Edna Kimmel Bonslett, and another $5,000 policy is held by a distant relative.

THREE SHOT DEAD FOR GIRL

Refusal to Permit Friend to Escort Her From Dance Results in Gun Play.

Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 21.—Because Miss Elsie Ellis refused to accompany Obie Butler, aged thirty, home from a dance at Rafter, Tenn., three men are dead. When she refused to go with Butler, Miss Ellis requested Olney Phillips, aged seventeen, to accompany her. When Butler saw them leave the dance he followed and shot Phillips dead. John Heading, aged twenty-five, then rushed up to Butler and asked why he had shot Phillips. In reply Butler shot Heading five times, killing him instantly. The third death came when an unknown person shot Butler from behind, the ball piercing his brain.

WARSHIP STRIKES OLYMPIC

All on Board Steamship Escape Without Injury.

Cowes, Sept. 21.—The White Star liner Olympic, the biggest passenger carrying vessel in service, was in a collision with the British protected cruiser Hawke, near Osborne bay, on the north side of the Isle of Wight, and was so badly damaged that her captain, E. J. Smith, beached her on a mud bank in the Cowes roadstead. Later she was released and started back for Southampton, where she was docked.

Kansas Democrats Nominate Taggart.

Paola, Kan., Sept. 21.—Joseph Taggart of Kansas City, Kan., was nominated for congress by acclamation by the Democrats of the Second district convention.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—Closing prices: Wheat—Sept., 92⅛c; Dec., 97⅞c.
Corn—Sept., 67⅝c; Dec., 64c.
Oats—Sept., 43¼c; Dec., 45¼c.
Pork—Jan., $15.10.
Lard—Sept., $9.25; Jan., $8.87½.
Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, winter, 95½@98c; No. 2 corn, 67¾@68c; No. 2 white oats, 45@45½c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 20,000; steady to 10c off; beeves, $4.90@5.15; western steers, $4.25@7.00; stockers and feeders, $3.15@5.80; cows and heifers, $2.25@6.30; calves, $6.00@9.50. Hogs—Receipts, 22,000; shade lower; light, $6.70@7.20; mixed, $6.55@7.20; heavy, $6.50@7.10; rough, $6.50@6.75; pigs, $4.25@6.75; bulk, $6.75@7.05. Sheep—Receipts, 40,000; steady to 10c lower; natives, $2.25@4.30; westerns, $2.50@4.25; yearlings, $3.70@4.65; lambs, $4.00@6.25.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Sept. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,300; 10c higher; beef steers, $5.25@7.25; cows and heifers, $3.00@4.35; stockers and feeders, $3.50@4.50; calves, $5.25@7.25. Hogs—Receipts, 6,300; 5@10c lower; larger droves were put up at $6.60@6.65; best light class on sale dropped to $6.80. Sheep—Receipts, 26,000, steady; wethers, $3.85@4.00; ewes, $2.65@3.50; lambs, $5.00@5.50.

MARYVILLE ONE DAY ONLY, FRIDAY, SEPT. 22
GROUNDS EAST OF BURLINGTON DEPOT

THE ORIENT AND OCCIDENT GO HAND IN HAND

PERILS OF THE PLAINS IN FRONTIER DAYS RE-ENACTED

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Stant S. Garten of Pickering was in Maryville Wednesday evening, visiting his brothers, Shell and Art Garten and E. H. and G. P. Bainum.

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CARD OF THANKS—We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness during the long illness of our beloved husband and father, Elbert S. Gibbs. And we wish to especially thank his comrades of the G. A. R. and the I. O. O. F. lodge brethren. Your services were beyond measure, and we pray God to bless you all. Mrs. E. S. Gibbs and Family.

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"What?"
"It makes everybody sick except those who swallow it."—Pittsburg Post.

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No matter how long and thick your hair is, WYETH'S SAGE AND SULPHUR HAIR REMEDY will make it longer and thicker. It will remove every trace of dandruff in a few days, stop falling in one week, and start a new growth in from one to three months.

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Wyeth Chemical Company, 74 CORTLANDT STREET NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.

FREE A 25c Cake of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Toilet Soap Free to anyone who will send us this advertisement with 10c in stamps to cover cost of wrapping and mailing the soap.

Northwest Normal Lyceum Lecture Course

The Normal offers to the people of Maryville and vicinity an excellent course of lectures, musicales and entertainments at the lowest possible price. Transferable season tickets to the entire course of five entertainments will be sold for one dollar. Students' season tickets, not transferable, will be sold to Normal, Public School and Business College and Conservatory of Music students for 75 cents. These student tickets will be on sale at the various schools. Regular tickets on sale at the Orear-Henry drug store. Following is given the list of talent and dates:

October 6—DeKoven Male Quartet.
November 8—Dr. James Headley.
December 11—Victoria Lynn Concert Co.
February 7—Prof. Paul Voelker.
March 6—Edward P. Elliott.

This course is given by the Normal in order to furnish to the students the highest order of entertainment and is in no manner a money making proposition. Citizens who assist by buying season tickets will greatly aid in the school's success.

Student canvassers will call with tickets or they may be had at Orear's.

Tickets will be delivered if order is telephoned to the Normal.

Joselyn's Hog and Chicken Powders

I am the agent for these well known remedies, which are sold under a binding and positive guarantee. You are given the opportunity to buy and try these powders without any payment until after you are fully satisfied of their efficacy. They are for sale in Maryville at R. S. Braniger & Co.'s store, or write or phone the store for me.

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Your pump and repair work. Pumps, windmills, scales, etc., of all kinds sold and repaired by E. J. Bailey, the pump man at Armstrong's foundry. Bell phone, office 114, residence 279; Hanamo, residence 259 Red. Farmers 121.

Are You Getting All there is in Your Cream?

A great American is credited with saying that the American people like to be humbugged, and the more you humbug them the better they like you. I don't believe it. To be humbugged is to be humiliated. Don't suffer yourself to be humiliated. We test and weigh your cream correctly. All kinds of produce.

CHAS. A. JENSEN,
Market Street Market.

Miss Laura Lee Friend of Burlington Junction visited in Maryville a short time Wednesday forenoon with her brother, E. W. Friend, and went to Hopkins to visit her sister, Mrs. Dr. Cossins.

A Ticket to California for $25

That's what a one-way second-class ticket from Kansas City to California may be bought for September 15 to October 15 inclusive. The same or corresponding fare from points on other lines in connection with the Santa Fe.

If you buy one of these tickets you will save considerable money — in many cases as much as $15. Isn't that worth something to you?

If you contemplate visiting the Pacific Coast, Arizona, Mexico, or a number of other places in the Southwest this fall, why not plan to go while these cheap tickets are on sale?

You may travel in tourist sleepers or free chair cars,—both carried on each of the Santa Fe's three fast trains that leave Kansas City daily. These

Tourist Sleepers

are of latest design, and have electric lights, good beds, large dressing rooms and men's smoking rooms.

Very liberal stop-over privileges give chances to visit Grand Canyon, Yosemite Valley and other points of interest.

If you are interested, I will send you a copy of "Tourist Sleeper Excursions" and other literature.

G. W. HAGENBUCH, General Agent,
905 Main St., Kansas City, Mo.

THE MILLENNIUM.

When earth's last evil is righted and earth's last sinner reformed,
When all of the graft is ended, when sin's last fortress is stormed,
We shall rest for an age or longer and gaze with a happy smile
On the work that we have accomplished, a world that is void of guile,
But when the resting is over and we start on the job anew,
What will be left for the doing, and what in the world will we do?

There will be no sorrows to lighten, no poverty, crime or pain;
No greedy robbers to battle, no octopus to be slain;
And those who were ever foremost in fighting the goodly fight
Will find no foeman to grapple and never a wrong to right,
A mood of perfect contentment, the heart of the world will lull,
And each of us will be happy, and Lord! but it will be dull!

When earth's last evil is righted, I hope I shall not be there;
I should long for the old-time conflict, for the work and worry and care;
There's fun in the bitter fighting, there's joy in the mighty game
Of battling against the forces of evil and woe and shame.
You may long for the perfect era, but I'm for the clash and jar,
The shouts, and the cheers and the tumult in the world of things as they are!

—Puck.

A Pointer.

If the way seems dark ahead,
Hope again;
If your friends have turned and fled,
Hide your pain;
If the venture which you thought
Was to pay has come to naught,
Let the good fight still be fought—
Hope again.

If you have been bruised by chance,
Don't despair;
Let hope still gleam in your glance;
Bravely dare;
If the fates appear to frown;
If you've failed to win renown;
Do not hopelessly sit down—
Get somewhere.

If there seems no chance for you,
Cling to hope;
If the gloom is heavy through
Which you grope,
Let your pride be kept alive;
Be determined to arrive—
But don't be too proud to strive
While you hope.

—S. E. Kiser.

Eastman Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

SIX PERSONS SLAIN IN HOMES

Two Families Found With Their Heads Cut Open.

BODIES ALL BADLY MUTILATED

Denies Selfish Interest in Refusing to Acknowledge Relationship — Niles, Mich., Is Torn With Conflicting Opinions About It.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Sept. 21.—Murdered in their own homes by some unidentified person, who used an axe, the bodies of six persons, three in each of two neighboring houses, were found here. The heads of all the victims had been smashed in, and the appearance of the bodies indicated that they had been dead several days and that death came while they slept.

An axe, which had been loaned to Mrs. Henry F. Wayne, one of the victims, by J. R. Evans, a neighbor, last week, was found, blood-stained, by Mrs. Evans near the back door of the Wayne home.

The dead: Mrs. Alice May Burnham, wife of A. J. Burnham, cook at the Modern Woodmen sanitarium; Alice and John Burnham, their two children, aged six and three years; Henry F. Wayne, a consumptive, until recently a patient at the Woodmen sanitarium; Mrs. Wayne; one-year-old baby girl of the Waynes.

Discovered by Neighbor.

The discovery of the bodies was made by a neighbor, who called at the Burnham home to spend the afternoon. Not getting any response and noticing a strong odor, she forced an entrance.

The bodies of Mrs. Burnham and those of her two children were found in their beds, which were covered with blood. The walls and ceiling also were spattered.

The woman rushed to the street and gave the alarm. A dozen persons went to the Wayne house, where there had been no signs of life since Monday, and the same terrible scene was presented. Covered in bed as though in their natural sleep were the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne and their baby, all horribly mangled, as in the case of the bodies in the Burnham house.

That such a crime had been committed in a thickly settled neighborhood and left unrevealed for three days was regarded as incredible. Not even a footprint is to be found on the floor of either house, and not a person could be found who had seen anyone about the premises since Sunday afternoon, when all the murdered persons at different times were in a neighborhood grocery store.

Burnham, who lives at the Modern Woodmen sanitarium, about ten miles from the city, where he is employed, was placed under arrest soon after the discovery of the crime, but there seems nothing to implicate him in the tragedy.

Harvester Company to Reorganize.

Washington, Sept. 21.—That the government is ready to permit the International Harvester company voluntarily to readjust its organization to conform to recent interpretations of the Sherman law, became known. Pending the result of a conference between Atotrney General Wickersham and attorneys for the company the threatened dissolution suit is being delayed.

Bakery Boys to Be Taught to Bake.

Kansas City, Sept. 21.—The bakers' apprentice of the future will be taught his trade in a school maintained especially for his benefit. Believing that under such conditions apprentices could learn their trade more quickly and thoroughly, the International convention of bakery and confectionery workers, now in session here, has decided to establish such an institution.

Workmen to Admit Women.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Sept. 21.—By a practically unanimous vote the Oklahoma grand lodge, Ancient Order of United Workmen, approved the admission of members of the degree honor, the women's auxiliary, to full membership in the organization. A new constitution also was adopted and insurance rates were revised.

For Cross State Road in Missouri.

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 21.—Five hundred men and 20 teams met at Smithton crossing, six miles east of this city, and began the construction of the first link of the state highway to connect St. Louis and Kansas City by way of Jefferson City.

Dix in Favor of Home Rule for Cities.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—A powerful plea for the emancipation of American cities from the control of state government was made at the International Municipal congress by Governor John A. Dix of New York, whose paper on "Home Rule for Cities" was read by Charles Lokue.

Clerks Will Not Strike.

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 21.—No general strike of Illinois Central clerks is contemplated now, despite local walkouts at Mounds, Ill., and East St. Louis, according to unofficial information given out here during a conference of officials of the employee's federation.

(First insertion Sept. 19; last, Sept. 26)

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Contractors are hereby notified that sealed bids will be received by the city clerk up to 6 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, September 26, 1911, for the building and construction of cement sidewalks as hereinafter enumerated.

A cement sidewalk along and adjacent to the entire north side of a tract of land described as commencing where the north line of Sixth street intersects the east line of the northwest quarter (¼) of the southeast quarter (¼) of section eighteen (18), township sixty-four (64), range thirty-five (35), thence north two hundred and seventy-six (276) feet; thence west six hundred and twenty-seven (627) feet, thence south two hundred and seventy-six (276) feet; thence east six hundred and twenty-seven (627) feet, to the place of beginning, excepting that portion of the above described tract which is owned and occupied by the Wabash Railroad company as right-of-way, said sidewalk to be four feet in width, and four hundred and twenty-seven (427) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the west side of Walnut street, along and adjacent to the east side of lots one (1) and two (2), in quarter block one (1), T. L. Robinson's addition to the city of Maryville, said walk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of Twelfth street, along and adjacent to the entire south side of the east half of lot one (1), in block twenty-five (25), of W. R. Saunders' addition to the city of Maryville, said walk to be four feet in width and thirty-eight (38) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the east side of Market street, lying along and adjacent to the entire west side of lots three (3) and four (4), in block eight (8) original town, now city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four (4) feet in width and one hundred and thirty-three (133) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the south side of Fifth street, along and adjacent to the entire north side of lot one (1), in block twelve (12), northwest extension or addition to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-seven (137) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of Seventh street, along and adjacent to the south side of a tract of land described as follows: Beginning at a point thirty feet east of the southwest corner of lot five, northern boundary, original town, now city of Maryville, Nodaway county, Missouri, and extending thence north to the north line of said lot five, thence east along the north line of said lot five and the north line of lot six, northern boundary, original town, now city of Maryville, to a point thereon due north of a point on the south line of said lot six, three hundred and six (306) feet west of the southeast corner of said lot six, thence south to the south line of said lot six, thence west to place of beginning, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and three hundred and eighty-nine (389) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of Seventh street, along and adjacent to the south side of lot seven (7), northern boundary, original town, now city of Maryville, Nodaway county, Missouri, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and sixty-six feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of First street, along and adjacent to the south side of lots eleven and twelve, block fifty-seven (57), Maryville City company's addition to the city of Maryville, Missouri, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-seven (137) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the east side of Fillmore street, along and adjacent to the west side of lot eight (8), in block block two (2), and sixteen feet off the south side of lot seven (7), in block two (2), northwest extension to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and seventy-three (73) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the south side of Seventh street, along and adjacent to the north side of the north one-third (1-3) of one-half (½) block two (2), northwest extension to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-three (133) feet in length.

Each and every one of the above sidewalks to be built upon the established line and grade, which will be indicated by stakes set by the city engineer without cost to the contractor.

The contractor to use due care in preserving said stakes, and if they should have to be reset, it will be at the expense of the contractor. Each and every one of the above sidewalks are to be built of cement, and in manner and form as provided by the specifications for sidewalks of cement, as set out in section 4-C of ordinance No. 221 of the city of Maryville, as recorded at pages 67-70 of ordinance record No. 8, of the city of Maryville, Missouri.

The work of building and construction shall include all grading, filling or excavation necessary therefor, and the cost of all labor and material and the cost of removal of any and all obstruction from the line of said sidewalks, and shall be completed on or before the first day of November, 1911.

BIDS.

The sidewalk along each and every lot or tract will be let as a separate job, and contractors will file a separate bid for each and every lot they desire to build, said bids to be sealed and filed with the city clerk of the city of Maryville by six o'clock p. m. on the 26th day of September, 1911, and each bidder shall enclose with each bid a certified check on some Maryville bank for ten per cent of the total amount of such bid. The board of aldermen reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

In case a bidder to whom a contract is awarded shall fail, neglect or refuse to enter into a good and sufficient contract with the city of Maryville for the work bid on, and execute to said city a good and sufficient bond for double the amount of his bid, conditioned on the faithful performance of his contract, then the said check shall be forfeited to the city of Maryville.

SUPERVISION.

All of said work shall be done under the supervision of the city engineer and in accordance with the specifications above referred to, and to the satisfaction of said city engineer.

PAYMENT FOR WORK.

Upon the completion of the work and the report of the city engineer that said walks have been built in accordance with the specifications hereinbefore referred to, the board of aldermen shall levy a special assessment against each lot or parcel of ground along which a sidewalk is built for the total amount of the cost thereof, payable to the contractor doing said work, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum after thirty days from the date of issuance, which tax bill shall be delivered to the contractor in full payment for the said work. A copy of the specifications above referred to and any further information required by contractors can be obtained at the office of either the city clerk or the city engineer.

Witness my hand this 18th day of September, 1911.

C. L. GANN, City Clerk.

By authority of ordinance No. 515.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, cheap. Charles Hyslop. 10-tf

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room cottage, close in. T. W. Costello, 321 North Market street. 5-tf

FOR SALE—Sixty acres or less with good improvements, one mile southwest of Maryville limits. J. J. Barr.

FOR SALE—McCormick corn binder, as good as new. T. W. Costello, 321 North Market street. 5-tf

WANTED—Cooks and waiters; good wages and good treatment. Apply at show grounds Friday. Buffalo Bill show. 21-22

LOST—Lady's gold watch. Finder please leave at 605 North Mulberry or call Hanamo 139 or Bell 37. Reward. 19-21

FOR SALE—Eight acres improved in Southeast Maryville. Lella Bonewitz, 1304 East Cooper street, Hanamo 493 Red. 9-tf

WE WANT you to know we are selling the McCormick binder twine at 8c per pound. The best in America. You know me. L. R. Holt. tf

WANTED—Good, live hustler, one not afraid to work. Experience unnecessary. Address J. F. Dunn, 111 South Eighth street, St. Joseph, Mo. 21-23

FOR SALE—Seventy-five heating stoves, all sizes and kinds, also a large amount of other furniture. Anthony, the second-hand man. Hanamo phone 258 Red. Store 207 West Third street.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey hogs of spring farrow, male and female, of no kin. Come and see them. A. B. Dowden, Maryville, Mo. R. F. D. 3. Farmers phone 1-13. 14-tf

INSURE with Hyslop. Fire tornado (farm or city), plate glass, automobile liability, accident or damage, health. Contract and court bonds promptly executed.

For rent—Several dwellings, one with furnace, bath and electric lights. R. L. M'DOUGAL.

Abstracts of title, insurance and loans.

TAKEN UP—One bay mare, weight about 1,000 pounds, white spot in forehead, left front foot white and bob tailed. Owner may have same by paying for this notice and keep. Call 4-22 over Farmers phone, Skidmore. 21-27

JERSEY HEIFER and one Jersey male calf, all from best milk stock and one grade Shorthorn calf; also a number of choice Poland-China male pigs, registered, for sale. Farmers' prices. Call at residence, West Third street, Maryville. N. Simon. tf

PIANO BARGAIN—We have a practically new piano procured from the Maryville Publishing company, taken in part settlement for another instrument. In order to save further expense we will sell very cheap for cash or payments as low as $6.00 per month. For particulars write Chas. [illegible] Maryville, Mo. 28-6x-wt

STRADIVARIUS VIOLIN

For sale cheap. Excellent, sweet tone and in perfect condition. Could ship on trial. Write to Miss Bertha W. Mardis, Route 5, Rosedale, Kansas.

Moving Back to Maryville.

Frank Orcutt, the contractor, is moving back to Maryville this week. He owns property at the county seat and as he could find no desirable renter, he decided to move back and occupy it himself.

It is said there are thirty or forty vacant houses in Maryville, which indicates that the town is not as much alive just now as this little old place for you can hardly find a vacant house here.—Hopkins Journal.

Say, Have You Ever

Bought any coal from Frank G. Shoemaker and had it delivered with the big white wagon? Those white wagons don't make a bad appearance on the streets of the city do they? And the horses look like they had enough to eat too. So do the drivers. The scales and yards are kept up in the same way, and that system of doing business makes it a legitimate mercantile business, like any other business of the city, and worthy of your patronage if prices and coals are right, and they are—because I am behind every pound of coal sold. If it is not right I will see that all is satisfactory or money refunded. Let me figure with you for your winter coal.

Yours truly,

F. G. SHOEMAKER, Sr.

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B. R. Martin's Law Office.

I have opened a law office in the J. B. Robinson building, first stairway north of the Nodaway Valley bank where I can be found Saturday of each week. Will come any time by appointment. B. R. MARTIN, Maryville, Mo

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Dry Cleaning, Pressing
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